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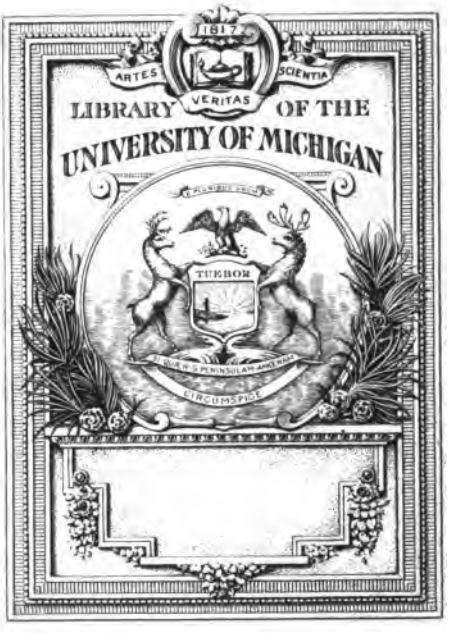
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REPORT.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY,
TRENTON, November 2d, 1885.

To the Senate and General Assembly:

Pursuant to the requirements of the law establishing the office of Comptroller of the Treasury, the customary annual report of the financial operations of the State during the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1885, is herewith presented.

Since the date of my last annual report sundry changes have taken place in the *personnel* of the financial department of the State. The Honorable George M. Wright, State Treasurer, died on the eighth of January, 1885. Mr. Wright was a resident of Burlington county, and had held the office of Treasurer of the State for nearly nine years, having been elected in 1876 for a term of three years and subsequently twice re-elected for a similar term. An official report is not the place for an extended eulogy, but the performance of my own official duties necessitated a thorough familiarity with all the operations of his office, and it may not be out of place here to say that in all of his official transactions Mr. Wright was guided and controlled by the strictest integrity, and by sincere devotion to the interests of the State. He made and left the record of a faithful, upright public officer.

Upon his death I made at once the necessary examination of his books and bank accounts, and a comparison of them with the records of this office. A similar examination was duly made a few days later by a committee of the Legislature, and it is within the public knowledge that all were found in complete order, and correct to the most minute particular.

Under the provisions of the constitution and the laws relating to the filling of vacancies, the Governor appointed the Honorable Jonathan H. Blackwell, of Mercer county, State Treasurer, on the eleventh of January, 1885. Mr. Blackwell immediately entered upon

the duties of the office, and reported to me the condition of the several funds, as turned over to him by the representatives of his predecessor. Two days later the Legislature, which had assembled in the meantime, elected the Honorable John J. Toffey, of Hudson county, State Treasurer, for three years, and on the 20th day of January, 1885, he assumed the duties of the office.

Owing to these changes, this report will embrace the operations of this department with three several incumbents of the office of Treasurer, but these changes have not led to any embarrassment or caused any disturbance or delay in the transaction of the public business.

Reference was made in the last annual report from this office to two important acts passed at the legislative session of 1884, having for their purpose a permanent increase in the annual revenue of the State, and designed also to change to a very great extent the system theretofore in existence for the provision of funds for the support of the State government. These acts were "An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property," approved April 10th, 1884, and "An act to provide for the imposition of State taxes on certain corporations, and for the collection thereof," approved April 18th, 1884. At the time that report was made neither of these acts had been in operation a sufficient length of time to justify an opinion as to their ultimate effect upon the public revenue, nor indeed can it yet be stated that the first-mentioned act will positively accomplish the purpose for which it was designed. While this act did not aim to make material changes in the established rate of the annual tax levied upon railroad and canal property, it provided an entirely new and more thorough system of valuation than had been possible under previous laws, and it moreover introduced a new element into the list of taxable property, by providing for an annual tax upon the franchise of each railroad and canal corporation. This new departure led, in the course of the year, to sundry legal contests between the State and the corporations from whom the tax was demanded, and as the questions which arose are about to be considered by the Supreme Court, it is not proposed to discuss them here. It is sufficient to say that because of these contests the receipts of the State Treasury have not been augmented during the year to the extent anticipated at the time of the passage of the act. A similar condition of things has existed in connection with the act providing for taxes on miscellaneous corporations, but the legal questions arising under this act have not been so important, and as the amount involved has been inconsiderable com-

pared with the sums in dispute under the act for the taxation of railroad property, the effect upon the Treasury in this case has not been so marked. All of the revenue raised under these acts is paid into the State Fund, and the operation of the acts in their connection with the Treasury will be set forth in detail under their appropriate heads when treating of that Fund.

The several Funds of the State, the transactions of which will be embraced in this report, are—

1. The *State Fund*, which embraces the collection and disbursement of all the revenue which is applied to the support of the State government.

2. The *School Fund*, the operations for which comprise the collection of the annual revenue of the Fund, the payment of appropriations made therefrom for purposes connected with free public education and the investment of the surplus receipts.

3. The *State School Tax*, the operations for which consist of the tax annually levied and collected for the support of public schools.

4. The *Agricultural College Fund*, for which the operations are the collection and disbursement of the annual income of the fund.

5. The collection and disbursement of the tax levied for the use of taxing districts upon the property of the several railroad and canal corporations, under the provisions of the act of April 10th, 1884.

The operations of these several branches of the State Treasury are distinct and separate from each other, and those of each will be presented under their proper heads.

The expenditures of the State during the time covered by this report have somewhat exceeded the amount anticipated at the beginning of the year. The legal contests already referred to have necessarily involved considerable expense, the destruction by fire of a large portion of the State Capitol necessitated an unforeseen expenditure, and other expenses have been found necessary which, not being anticipated at the beginning of the year, were not included in the estimates presented to the Legislature at that time; but notwithstanding these facts, and the facts that the suits affecting the tax on railroads have prevented the collection of a part of the expected revenue, no embarrassment to the Treasury has ensued, all lawful demands upon the State have been promptly met, and the receipts of the year have exceeded the expenditures for all purposes, except the payment on

account of the public debt. The State has no indebtedness at this time, excepting that known as the "War Debt," which now amounts to one million five hundred and ninety-one thousand three hundred dollars ($1,591,300). Provision is made by law for the payment of the annual interest upon this debt, and for an annual decrease of the principal.

To meet disbursements required to be made in the intervals between receipts of the revenue, it became necessary, in July, 1885, to effect a temporary loan of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000). This was done under the authority vested by law in the Governor, Comptroller and Treasurer, the rate of interest being three (3) per centum per annum, and the loan was paid within the fiscal year from the subsequent receipts of the Treasury.

At the date of the last report from this office the available balance in the State Treasury was four hundred and five thousand two hundred and sixty-six dollars and eighty cents ($405,266.80), which was credited as follows:

To the State Fund	$118,352 69
" School Fund	286,914 11
Total	$405,266 80

The receipts of the Treasury during the year, including the sum derived from temporary loan, amounted to three million one hundred and seventy-two thousand seven hundred and sixty-three dollars and fifty-one cents ($3,172,763.51), and the disbursements for all purposes, including the payment of temporary loan, and also including investments made for account of the *School Fund*, have amounted to three million two hundred and eighty-eight thousand two hundred and four dollars and twenty cents ($3,288,204.20). The balance held at the beginning of the year has been reduced in the sum of one hundred and fifteen thousand four hundred and forty dollars and sixty-nine cents ($115,440.69), and now amounts to two hundred and eighty-nine thousand eight hundred and twenty-six dollars and eleven cents ($289,826.11).

The receipts and disbursements for all the different Funds are summarized in the following statement:

RECEIPTS.

From State School Tax		$1,396,968 00
" School Fund—		
Income	$193,096 31	
Securities paid off	239,475 25	
		432,571 56
From Income of Agricultural College Fund		6,960 00
" Tax on Railroad Corporations, for the use of Taxing Districts		64,449 72
Revenue of State Fund—		
From State Tax of 1882	$21,902 00	
" Insurance	22,777 00	
" Refunded Taxes	5,317 08	
" Legislature	500 00	
" General Revenue	1,121,318 15	
		1,171,814 23
		$3,072,763 51
" Amount derived from Temporary Loan		100,000 00
		$3,172,763 51
Balance October 31st, 1884		405,266 80
		$3,578,030 31

DISBURSEMENTS.

State School Tax		$1,396,968 00	
From the School Fund—			
For Investment	$429,582 50		
" Appropriation to Public Schools	100,000 00		
" Other Educational Purposes	45,793 24		
		575,375 74	
Agricultural College Fund		6,960 00	
State Fund, for State Expenses, and to pay Appropriations		1,208,900 46	
		$3,188,204 20	
For payment of Temporary Loan		100,000 00	
			3,288,204 20
Balance on hand October 31st, 1885			$289,826 11

This balance is credited as follows:

To the State Fund	$81,266 46
" " School Fund	144,109 93
" Local Tax on Railroad Corporations	64,449 72
	$289,826 11

Of the above balance only that portion standing to the credit of the *State Fund* is available for State expenditures. The amount

credited to the *School Fund* is subject to the payment of the annual appropriation of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) toward the support of public schools, and to the payment of sundry other appropriations for educational purposes. The remainder, should there be any, can only, under existing laws, be invested and added to the principal of the *School Fund.*

The amount standing to the credit of Local Tax on Railroad Corporations is the result for the year of the operation of one of the provisions of the act of 1884 for the taxation of railroad and canal property. In addition to the provisions of the act for a tax for the use of the State, it was provided (sections 12 and 14) that upon a certain class of property each railroad and canal company should pay a tax for the use of the taxing district in which such property should lie, and that this tax should be paid into the State Treasury and subsequently transmitted to the proper local officers. The whole amount of tax of this character levied by the State Board of Assessors and payable within the past fiscal year, was three hundred and twenty-one thousand four hundred and eighty-one dollars and ninety-nine cents ($321,481.99). A number of the corporations liable for this tax applied to the Supreme Court for writs of *certiorari*, and the act under which the tax was levied provided that before granting the writ payment should be made of such portion of the tax as the court should deem just. In the cases referred to the amounts required by the court to be paid did not include any portion of the tax assessed for local purposes, and the sum reported above as received for account of this tax represents only the payments made by such corporations as decided to pay the taxes assessed against them under the act without contest in the courts. No portion of the amount received has been distributed to the taxing districts for whose benefit it was levied, for the reason that it was provided by law that corporations paying the taxes assessed against them, without contest, should, notwithstanding such payment, have the privilege of making application for a writ of *certiorari* upon any question adjudicated in favor of corporations refusing to pay the taxes assessed against them, provided such application be made within six months after the final adjudication of such question. Inasmuch as the law provided for the repayment by the State to corporations of such taxes as should be found, upon review by the court, to have been improperly assessed, it was deemed wise to postpone the distribution to the taxing districts of the sums received for their use until the determination of the court was known. It is expected that the cases will be argued at the November term of the Supreme Court, and that the decision will be rendered not later

than the February term, after which, if the action of the State Board of Assessors is sustained, this tax will be at once distributed, together with the additional sums, which will be at once payable unless the contested cases shall be further appealed.

Upon assuming office in January, 1885, Treasurer Blackwell reported to me, as credited to his account as State Treasurer in banks of the State, the sum of one hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars ($133,000), consisting of moneys deposited by sundry railroad corporations pursuant to the provisions of a supplement of 1878 to the general railroad law, requiring corporations proposing to construct railroads to deposit with the State Treasurer a sum equal to two thousand dollars ($2,000) for each mile of railroad proposed to be made. This deposit is required by the law to be made as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the corporation, and, while it is not covered into the treasury, the State Treasurer is made the custodian of the funds, and is required to hold them subject to repayment to the depositors upon satisfactory proof that two thousand dollars ($2,000) have been expended upon each mile of the proposed roads.

Treasurer Toffey, upon taking possession of the office of Treasurer, also reported this sum ($133,000) in his custody, and has since, from time to time, reported repayments under the law, and further receipts. The repayments up to the present time have amounted to fifty-two thousand dollars ($52,000), and there have been further receipts amounting to thirty-two thousand dollars ($32,000), leaving a balance of these deposits now in the Treasurer's custody of one hundred and thirteen thousand dollars ($113,000).

This, added to the balances already stated, shows the sums of money in the State Treasurer's charge to be as follows:

Balance to the credit of the School Fund	$144,109 93
" " " " State Fund	81,266 46
Local railroad tax for the use of taxing districts	64,449 72
Balance of special railroad deposit	113,000 00
Total	$402,826 11

No portion of the two last-named sums has been used by the State, nor is this money permitted by law to be applied to any other than the specific use for which it was received.

ABSTRACTS OF RATABLES.

The returns from the several counties of real and personal property assessed for school and local taxes in the year 1885, are presented below. These do not include any portion of the property of railroad and canal corporations assessed for local taxes by the State Board of Assessors under the act of 1884. This amounted, under the assessment of 1884, to thirty-six million seven hundred and sixty-seven thousand two hundred and twenty-eight dollars and fifty-seven cents ($36,767,228.57), and it is not probable that the assessment of 1885 (which has not yet been returned to this office) will show any great difference from the valuations of the year before.

In presenting the amount of taxable property as returned by the several counties, a schedule has been prepared showing the valuations of 1884, and a statement showing the increase or decrease in each county. Seventeen counties return an increased amount, in some cases very large, while there has been a decrease in but four counties, and this amounts in the aggregate to but little over half a million dollars, while the total increase amounts to over eleven million dollars, the balance of increase being ten million seven hundred and nine thousand eight hundred and forty-one dollars and fifty cents ($10,709,841.50). The annual increase in taxable property in the State has continued steadily since the year 1879, the increase in six years having amounted to about fifty-seven millions of dollars ($56,645,617.84). There is gratifying evidence of the prosperity of the State to be found in this fact, but an examination of the figures shows such varying rates of increase in the several counties as to call renewed attention to the necessity of the adoption of some system for the equalization of values between the counties. Repeated attention has been called to this subject in my former reports, and in view of its great importance it is again presented for the consideration of the Legislature.

Comparative Schedule of Valuations of Real and Personal Property for the Years 1884 and 1885.

COUNTIES.	VALUATION OF 1884.	VALUATION OF 1885.	DECREASE.	INCREASE.
Atlantic	$4,990,167 00	$5,565,153 50	.....	$574,986 50
Bergen	15,417,060 00	15,532,243 00	.....	115,183 00
Burlington	25,277,749 00	25,399,764 00	.....	122 015 00
Camden	21,946,003 00	22,160,511 00	.....	214,508 00
Cape May	3,443,111 00	3,784,337 00	.....	341,226 00
Cumberland	12,403,000 00	12,745,000 00	.....	342,000 00
Essex	115,854,000 00	118,616,000 00	.....	2,762,000 00
Gloucester	14,333,259 00	14,518,479 00	.....	185,220 00
Hudson	99,236,540 34	102,609,093 34	.....	3,372,553 00
Hunterdon	20,895,780 00	20,946,343 00	.....	50,563 00
Mercer	31,832,849 00	32,079,632 00	.....	246,783 00
Middlesex	18,710,000 00	18,605,000 00	$105,000 00	.....
Monmouth	31,334,000 00	33,100,100 00	.....	1,766,100 00
Morris	20,432,783 00	20,369,242 00	63,541 00	.....
Ocean	4,338,214 00	4,130,476 00	207,738 00	.....
Passaic	30,127,482 00	30,312 036 00	.....	184 554 00
Salem	13,971,161 00	14,239,091 00	.....	267,930 00
Somerset	16,291,000 00	16,450 000 00	.....	159,000 00
Sussex	10,055,017 00	10,365,253 00	.....	310,236 00
Union	24,674,100 00	24,883,000 00	.....	208,900 00
Warren	19,264,839 00	19,127,202 00	137,637 00	.....
Totals	$554,828,114 34	$565,537,955 84	$513,916 00	$11,223,757 50
Total increase				$10,709,841 50

For purposes of comparison the following table is presented, showing the aggregate valuations of taxable property in the State from 1868 to 1885, inclusive, and the figures there presented furnish an interesting study in connection with the foregoing remarks relative to the equalization of values.

Assessors' Valuation of Real and Personal Property Taxable in New Jersey from 1868 to 1876, inclusive.

COUNTIES.	1868.	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.
Atlantic	$4,313,303 00	$4,362,871 00	$4,362,871 00	$4,425,667 00	$4,477,853 00	$4,543,913 00	$4,617,151 00	$4,526,585 00	$4,369,537 00
Bergen	20,846,619 00	23,211,941 00	25,561,997 00	26,269,836 00	27,442,788 00	25,770,652 00	23,436,518 00	22,395,949 00	16,932,430 00
Burlington	25,984,954 00	29,089,991 00	28,820,411 00	28,415,146 00	28,415,092 00	27,936,423 00	27,501,000 00	27,220,085 00	27,278,238 00
Camden	16,500,000 00	16,914,700 00	16,250,000 00	18,793,775 00	18,620,794 00	19,071,817 00	20,000,000 00	21,589,610 00	22,496,387 00
Cape May	3,200,000 00	3,350,000 00	3,600,000 00	3,700,000 00	3,500,000 00	3,250,000 00	3,250,000 00	3,250,000 00	3,150,000 00
Cumberland	10,450,000 00	11,170,000 00	11,552,000 00	11,603,000 00	12,171,000 00	12,785,000 00	13,472,000 00	13,895,000 00	14,223,000 00
Essex	84,344,000 00	94,373,000 00	100,691,000 00	112,042,000 00	123,520,000 00	129,610,000 00	132,844,000 00	132,682,000 00	122,852,000 00
Gloucester	12,295,800 00	12,590,600 00	12,520,000 00	14,656,041 00	14,496,735 00	14,672,321 00	14,742,794 00	14,651,300 00	14,586,635 00
Hudson	78,849,212 00	85,133,272 00	88,670,950 00	101,049,284 00	97,478,477 00	95,064,590 00	95,271,985 00	93,943,514 00	94,158,937 70
Hunterdon	20,862,058 00	27,312,116 00	27,642,530 00	26,682,409 00	27,795,445 00	27,269,014 00	30,163,487 00	26,887,659 00	27,192,258 00
Mercer	27,379,772 00	28,803,050 00	28,208,202 00	31,879,630 00	33,594,959 00	32,399,831 00	33,547,606 00	34,273,265 00	33,448,424 00
Middlesex	21,996,000 00	22,053,000 00	22,413,000 00	22,837,000 00	23,070,000 00	24,458,000 00	23,567,000 00	22,660,000 00	22,677,200 00
Monmouth	26,675,640 00	27,780,147 00	27,928,009 00	27,598,582 00	27,995,433 00	27,936,808 00	28,158,172 00	27,730,978 00	27,739,040 00
Morris	23,129,512 00	23,760,000 00	24,576,156 00	25,147,730 00	26,453,947 00	27,009,748 00	27,331,089 00	27,091,007 00	26,051,138 00
Ocean	4,847,598 00	4,378,710 00	4,481,249 00	4,420,846 00	4,367,001 00	4,232,452 00	3,934,921 00	3,790,552 00	3,596,492 00
Passaic	21,826,900 00	24,205,000 00	26,215,609 00	28,055,824 00	30,621,707 00	33,854,692 00	33,321,059 00	32,774,000 00	33,041,862 00
Salem	17,356,375 00	17,150,394 00	16,131,626 00	14,750,633 00	14,464,790 00	14,582,121 00	14,479,477 00	14,216,923 00	14,536,347 00
Somerset	15,406,000 00	15,571,370 00	15,990,660 00	16,074,330 00	17,436,000 00	17,523,000 00	17,449,400 00	17,462,000 00	17,962,000 00
Sussex	16,761,662 00	16,435,526 00	16,283,555 00	16,240,960 00	16,212,200 00	16,058,369 00	16,058,491 00	15,567,236 00	14,947,750 00
Union	21,461,000 00	23,553,000 00	24,096,000 00	26,861,000 00	28,603,000 00	31,014,600 00	31,808,600 00	31,860,000 00	31,666,000 00
Warren	22,161,144 00	22,092,573 00	22,345,266 00	22,896,847 00	22,928,276 00	23,752,755 00	24,103,153 00	24,263,481 00	23,908,092 00
Totals	$502,645,949 00	$533,261,261 00	$549,341,031 00	$584,400,540 00	$603,665,497 00	$612,796,106 00	$619,057,903 00	$612,731,094 00	$596,833,707 70

Assessors' Valuation of Real and Personal Property Taxable in New Jersey from 1877 to 1885, inclusive.

COUNTIES.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
Atlantic	$4,202,302 00	$4,178,087 00	$4,113,332 00	$5,540,832 00	$4,557,238 00	$4,742,658 00	$4,884,582 00	$4,990,167 00	$5,565,153 50
Bergen	14,876,673 00	12,834,839 00	13,256,105 00	15,794,709 00	16,097,571 00	16,170,422 50	15,613,025 00	15,417,069 00	15,532,243 00
Burlington	26,729,038 00	25,984,978 00	25,805,655 00	25,517,444 00	25,856,143 00	25,216,855 00	25,397,292 00	25,277,749 00	25,399,764 00
Camden	20,000,000 00	20,000,000 00	18,987,398 00	19,216,711 00	19,217,640 00	19,323,182 00	19,538,749 00	21,946,003 00	22,160,511 00
Cape May	3,150,000 00	2,925,000 00	3,460,000 00	3,460,000 00	3,525,265 00	3,635,000 00	4,011,000 00	3,443,111 00	3,784,337 00
Cumberland	13,720,000 00	12,612,000 00	12,143,000 00	12,073,000 00	12,111,000 00	12,200,000 00	12,551,000 00	12,403,000 00	12,745,000 00
Essex	114,895,000 00	108,856,000 00	102,848,000 00	105,916,000 00	108,494,000 00	109,434,000 00	114,075,000 00	115,854,000 00	118,616,000 00
Gloucester	14,603,676 60	13,514,208 00	13,229,187 00	13,333,634 00	13,736,260 00	14,024,550 00	14,209,282 00	14,333,259 00	14,518,479 00
Hudson	94,477,421 00	93,940,086 00	92,140,447 00	90,371,968 84	91,901,996 50	93,462,993 00	97,136,659 00	99,236,540 34	102,609,093 34
Hunterdon	24,658,095 00	23,008,798 00	21,028,381 00	20,944,812 00	21,067,571 00	21,295,011 00	21,224,136 00	20,595,780 00	20,946,343 00
Mercer	32,466,303 00	29,724,535 00	29,186,920 00	29,830,762 00	29,890,820 00	30,565,212 00	31,207,576 00	31,832,849 00	32,079,632 00
Middlesex	20,972,900 00	18,896,000 00	18,000,000 00	18,166,000 00	18,326,000 00	18,486,700 00	18,548,000 00	18,710,000 00	18,605,000 00
Monmouth	26,789,587 00	25,662,000 00	25,383,200 00	25,614,000 00	27,991,000 00	29,788,000 00	30,891,000 00	31,334,000 00	33,100,100 00
Morris	24,160,590 00	22,846,392 00	20,769,200 00	21,000,000 00	21,040,447 00	21,070,217 00	20,776,162 00	20,432,783 00	20,369,242 00
Ocean	3,298,941 00	2,970,895 00	2,862,409 00	3,043,759 00	3,228,998 00	3,534,447 00	3,914,581 00	4,338,214 00	4,130,476 00
Passaic	30,622,000 00	24,636,600 00	24,675,842 00	27,354,415 00	27,953,345 00	29,168,270 00	30,159,080 00	30,127,482 00	30,312,036 00
Salem	14,679,763 00	13,913,639 00	13,341,890 00	13,279,398 00	13,396,976 00	13,649,770 00	13,891,450 00	13,971,161 00	14,239,091 00
Somerset	18,000,000 00	17,479,000 00	16,200,000 00	16,336,000 00	16,300,000 00	16,600,000 00	16,620,000 00	16,291,000 00	16,450,000 00
Sussex	13,210,794 00	10,447,619 00	9,523,992 00	10,636,801 00	9,960,557 00	10,095,915 00	10,301,900 00	10,055,017 00	10,365,253 00
Union	29,772,825 00	27,525,000 00	23,865,800 00	23,475,450 00	24,016,100 00	24,230,000 00	24,537,550 00	24,674,100 00	24,883,000 00
Warren	21,464,789 00	19,901,028 00	18,571,580 00	18,711,823 00	18,762,295 00	18,774,674 00	19,007,045 00	19,264,839 00	19,127,202 00
Totals	$566,250,697 00	$531,851,849 00	$508,892,338 00	$518,617,518 84	$527,451,222 50	$535,467,876 50	$548,495,069 00	$554,828,114 34	$565,537,955 84

CONDITION AND TRANSACTIONS OF THE STATE FUND.

This Fund, as has been repeatedly explained, is the State Treasury proper, which receives the annual revenue for the support of the government, and from which are paid all expenses and appropriations, excepting those connected with the system of free public education.

The greater portion of the revenue of this Fund has for years past been derived from the tax on the property of railroad and canal corporations, and, as stated on a former page, the increase of the annual revenue of this Fund was one of the objects aimed at in the passage of the act of 1884, for the taxation of this class of property, and the act of the same year for the taxation of other corporations. The effects of the last-named act were felt to some extent in the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1884, as the taxes levied under its provisions were payable at once, and the operations of this act will be explained under the head of *Tax on Miscellaneous Corporations.*

Tax on Railroad and Canal Corporations.—The act under which this tax was levied in the past year was passed at the session of 1884, and, as the first tax levied under it was payable in the year 1885, the fiscal year just closed was the first in which the State Treasury has felt the effects of the act. It introduced a new and elaborate system of ascertaining the taxable value of the property, and of determining the taxes payable, and it also extended the list of taxable property by imposing a tax upon franchises, and a tax for local uses upon a certain class of property owned or held by railroad or canal corporations. The act provided that the State Board of Assessors should make return to the Comptroller, on the first day of December in each year, of all the valuations and assessments made by them, and that after hearing the appeals of any corporations feeling themselves aggrieved by the said assessments the Board should report to the Comptroller any corrections or adjustments which they might make. The original act made the taxes thus levied payable into the Treasury on the first day of January, but a supplement passed at the session of 1885 extended this time until the first day of February.

On the first of December, 1884, the Board certified to me all the valuations and assessments made by them, and, from time to time, until February 10th, 1885, sundry adjustments and corrections were

reported. The final valuations and assessments of taxes for State uses, as certified by the Board, are shown in the aggregate by the following statement:

VALUATIONS

Assessed valuation of Main Stems	$81,865,150 53
" of Tangible Personal Property	21,604,226 32
" of Real Estate used for Railroad purposes, other than Main Stems	36,767,228 57
	$140,236,605 42
Assessed valuation of Franchises	50,201,388 54
Total assessed valuation	$190,437,993 96

TAXES.

Tax for State use on Main Stems	$409,325 56
" " on Tangible Personal Property	108,021 08
" " on Real Estate other than Main Stems	183,835 41
	$701,182 05
Tax for State use on Franchises	251,006 94
Total tax for State use	$952,188 99

For the purpose of estimating the anticipated revenue for the year, it was obviously necessary to assume that all the corporations taxed would accept the act and pay their taxes into the Treasury without question, but this was not a reasonable expectation, and, indeed, the act itself anticipated objections on the part of the taxed corporations, by providing that companies or persons desiring to contest the validity or amount of the tax levied under the act should do so by application for a writ of *certiorari*, and it was further provided that on granting a writ of *certiorari* to review any assessment payment should be made of such portion of the tax as the justice or court granting the writ should deem just.

The total amount of tax assessed upon railroad and canal property for the use of this State was (as shown by the foregoing statement) nine hundred and fifty-two thousand one hundred and eighty-eight dollars and ninety-nine cents ($952,188.99), and this was assessed upon the property of ninety (90) different corporations. Thirty-six (36) of these corporations applied for writs of *certiorari* to contest the validity or amount of the tax; three (3) corporations paid no attention to the demands of the State, and being delinquent under the act judgments against them were obtained; and fifty-one (51) corporations expressed their intention to make payment of the tax assessed against them without contest. The supplement passed in 1885 to the original act provided that companies accepting the provisions of the

act should have the privilege of paying the State tax in installments of one-fourth of the sum on the first days of February, May, August, and the fifteenth of October. The aggregate amount of the tax assessed for State uses against companies which refrained from contesting the act, was four hundred and twenty-four thousand two hundred and three dollars and ninety cents ($424,203.90). Three of these companies failed to pay some of their later installments before the close of the fiscal year, but these accounts are in process of collection, and the sums due will be received early in the coming year. The whole amount of tax received under the act during the year from this class of companies, was three hundred and eighty-nine thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight dollars and eight cents ($389,958.08).

The amount of tax assessed for State uses upon the corporations contesting the act, was five hundred and twenty-six thousand four hundred and thirty-one dollars and thirty-nine cents ($526,431.39). The aggregate amount paid into the Treasury under the order of the court on granting writs of *certiorari*, was three hundred and seventy-one thousand four hundred and sixty-two dollars and eighty-four cents ($371,462.84), leaving due from this class of corporations one hundred and fifty-four thousand nine hundred and sixty-eight dollars and fifty-five cents ($154,968.55). The aggregate amount of the tax assessed for State uses upon the three companies against which judgments were obtained, was one thousand five hundred and fifty-three dollars and seventy cents ($1,553.70).

The results of the operations of the act during the fiscal year as affecting the State revenue may be summarized as follows:

Received from non-contesting companies		$389,958 08
" under orders of the court, from contesting companies		371,462 84
Whole amount received		$761,420 92
Due from contesting companies	$154,968 55	
" October 31st, 1885, from non-contesting companies	34,245 82	
" from delinquent companies	1,553 70	
		190,768 07
Total tax levied for State uses		$952,188 99

Of the ninety (90) corporations taxed under this act, sixty-two (62) were either foreign corporations or were leased to or controlled by foreign corporations, and the remaining twenty-eight (28) were independent companies. They may for convenience be arranged as in the following statement, which shows the number of companies in each system and the amount of State tax assessed against each system:

Systems.	Number of Companies.	State Tax Levied.
Pennsylvania Railroad	23	$287,245 73
Philadelphia and Reading Railroad	22	258,733 91
New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad	8	61,906 58
Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad	6	173,632 65
Lehigh Valley Railroad	3	79,941 82
Independent or Unclassified Companies	28	90,728 30
Total	90	$952,188 99

The following statement shows the number of roads in each system from which tax was received, and the amount received from each:

Systems.	Number of Companies.	State Tax Received.
Pennsylvania Railroad	23	$287,245 73
Philadelphia and Reading Railroad	22	182,577 41
New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad	8	55,105 86
Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad	6	140,314 50
Lehigh Valley Railroad	3	41,366 79
Independent or Unclassified	20	55,810 63
Total	82	$761,420 92

The following statement shows the several systems, and the number of companies in each from which tax is still due:

Systems.	Number of Companies.	Amount Due.
Philadelphia and Reading Railroad	23	$76,156 50
New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad	2	6,800 72
Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad	4	33,318 15
Lehigh Valley Railroad	2	38,575 03
Independent or Unclassified	11	35,917 67
Total	42	$190,768 07

In an appendix to this report will be found a statement showing the names of the several corporations in each system, with the amounts assessed against each, together with the amounts paid and amounts still due from each.

The cases of the contesting companies are in the hands of the Attorney-General, who, with the assistance of able counsel, appointed under the act, has made elaborate preparation for the argument of the many and important questions involved, and it is expected that the cases will be heard at the November term of the Supreme Court. No detailed account will be presented here of the proceedings preparatory to the hearing, as the Attorney-General has informed me that

he proposes to submit, in a report to the Legislature, a full account of his operations under the act. It may be said, however, that it is scarcely possible to exaggerate the importance of these cases, affecting as they do not only the amount of tax assessed against these contesting companies, but the whole amount of tax levied, and involving legal and constitutional questions affecting the right of the State to the exercise of the taxing power over this class of property. To prepare for the argument of these cases has imposed an immense amount of labor on the Attorney-General and his colleagues, but it is believed that the preparations have been made with a care and completeness commensurate with the great interests involved.

In addition to the sums stated above to have been received from railroad and canal corporations as tax levied under the act of 1884, the State Fund has also received some small sums of interest from some of the non-contesting companies which failed to pay their installments when due, and there have also been received during the fiscal year some payments (together with interest thereon) of taxes levied under previous acts, and which became due before February 1st, 1885, on which date the first payments were due under the act of 1884.

The following statement shows the whole amount of tax for State uses received from railroad and canal corporations during the fiscal year:

From taxes payable under previous acts	$74,852 95	
Interest	54 99	
		$74,907 94
From non-contesting companies, under act of 1884	$389,958 08	
Interest	364 91	
		390,322 99
From contesting companies, under act of 1884		371,462 84
Total		$836,693 77

Tax on Miscellaneous Corporations.—The act passed at the session of 1884, for the taxation of corporations other than railroad and canal corporations, resulted in the levying of a tax for the year 1884, amounting to two hundred and three thousand three hundred and ninety-five dollars and seventy-seven cents ($203,395.77), as reported to this department by the State Board of Assessors. Subsequent investigation by the Board showed that some of these companies were not taxable under the act, and their assessments were canceled, leaving the actual amount of assessments for the year 1884, one hundred and ninety-five thousand eight hundred and forty-six dollars and ninety-nine cents ($195,846.99). At the date of my last annual

report there had been collected from the companies thus assessed the sum of ninety-eight thousand two hundred and seventy-eight dollars and sixty-seven cents ($98,278.67), and during the past fiscal year there has been collected the further sum of twenty-two thousand one hundred and thirty-nine dollars and ten cents ($22,139.10), making the whole sum collected up to this date, of the tax of 1884, one hundred and twenty thousand four hundred and seventeen dollars and seventy-seven cents ($120,417.77), and leaving an unpaid balance of seventy-five thousand four hundred and twenty-nine dollars and twenty-two cents ($75,429.22).

For the year 1885 the State Board of Assessors ascertained and returned to this office as the amount of taxes due from this class of corporations, the sum of two hundred and thirty-nine thousand five hundred and seventy-eight dollars and six cents ($239,578.06), which amount was, by the exclusion of non-taxable corporations, subsequently reduced to two hundred and thirty-five thousand one hundred and sixty-nine dollars and forty cents ($235,169.40). Of this tax the collections have amounted to one hundred and sixteen thousand and forty-four dollars and fifty-two cents ($116,044.52), leaving still unpaid the sum of one hundred and nineteen thousand one hundred and twenty-four dollars and eighty-eight cents ($119,124.88).

The following statement shows in condensed form the condition of this tax for the two years under consideration:

Tax reported by the State Board of Assessors for the year 1884		$203,395 77
Amount canceled as not taxable		7,548 78
Whole amount of tax		$195,846 99
Paid in the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1884	$98,278 67	
" " " " " " 31st, 1885	22,139 10	
		120,417 77
Tax of 1884 still unpaid		$75,429 22
Tax reported by the State Board of Assessors for the year 1885		$239,578 06
Amount canceled as not taxable		4,408 66
Whole amount of tax		$235,169 40
Paid in the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1885		116,044 52
Tax of 1885 still unpaid		$119,124 88

From this statement, it will be seen that the whole amount of tax received under this act, during the past fiscal year, was one hundred and thirty-eight thousand one hundred and eighty-three dollars and sixty-two cents ($138,183.62), and that of the two years' taxes, there

remains uncollected the sum of one hundred and ninety-four thousand five hundred and fifty-three dollars and fifty cents ($194,553.50). This sum is, however, by no means to be viewed as an asset of the Treasury likely to become available. Many of the corporations taxed, while not dissolved by the process provided by law, have long since ceased to do any business or to have any actual existence; others have no property out of which the tax could be made, and it is safe to say that the greater portion of this unpaid tax is absolutely uncollectible. In July last, after every other means of collecting the unpaid taxes of 1884 had been exhausted, a list of delinquent corporations was placed in the hands of the Attorney-General, and, under his direction, application was made to the Chancellor, as the law directs, for injunctions to restrain them from doing business in this State. This resulted in the collection of about eleven thousand dollars ($11,000), or about nine (9) per centum of the sum in arrears. Injunctions were issued in a large number of cases, and, doubtless, the further legal proceedings will result in the collection of further sums, but it is not probable that the collections of the unpaid taxes of 1884 will amount to more than ten thousand dollars ($10,000). The claims under the assessment of 1885 will also be placed in the Attorney-General's hands for collection, in a short time, but it is not deemed probable that more than fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) of the unpaid sum will be collected. The assessment for 1886 will be payable during the fiscal year now beginning, and, in the light of past experience, it is not safe to estimate the receipts during the year under this assessment at a higher sum than one hundred and ten thousand dollars ($110,000). It was suggested, in a supplement to my last annual report, that there be some additional legislation in connection with the taxation of this class of corporations, and this suggestion is here renewed. As the law now stands, the Board of Assessors find themselves compelled to return, each year, to the Comptroller, a large amount of tax, of the collection of which there is not the remotest possibility. This stands upon the Comptroller's books as a debt due the State, and, in the course of time, is turned over to the Attorney-General for collection, and he, in turn, must make application to the Chancellor for injunctions, which injunctions, being granted, do not effect any good purpose, since corporations which have been abandoned for years, or others which have no money or other assets, and no business, do not find themselves seriously incommoded by injunctions, and do not exert themselves to have the injunctions dissolved. Nevertheless, the process of taxation goes on, debts accumulate upon the books of the State, bills of costs accrue in the Court of Chancery,

a large amount of useless labor is imposed upon the State Board of Assessors, the Comptroller and the Attorney-General, and no good purpose is served. An act to empower the court to declare out of legal existence those corporations which, upon investigation, are found to be practically defunct, would obviate the difficulty, in time, by relieving the Board of Assessors from the duty of annually determining and reporting the tax, and thus the list of companies annually taxable would be reduced to two classes, viz.: those who would pay their taxes voluntarily and those who could, by legal process, be compelled to pay.

Many of these corporations would, no doubt, prefer to dissolve voluntarily, but the process of dissolution, as now provided by law, is tedious and expensive, and there should be provided an easy process by which corporations, which no longer have a reason for existing, might dissolve or be dissolved, and thus be removed from the list of companies annually taxable. This is not recommended as a penalty for non-payment of tax in the case of companies actually doing business and desiring to exist. Other processes can be resorted to for the collection of the tax from defaulting companies, and the sums payable from the several corporations are, as a general thing, too small to demand for default so severe a remedy as the abolition of their franchises.

The following statement shows the whole amount received into the Treasury during the past fiscal year from all classes of corporations other than railroad and canal corporations:

For account of tax of 1884, under Act of April 18th, 1884,	$22,139 10	
" interest	1,660 81	
" taxed costs in the Court of Chancery	635 32	
		$24,435 23
For account of tax of 1885, under Act of April 18th, 1884,	$116,044 52	
" interest	149 48	
		116,194 00
		$140,629 23
From one corporation, under the terms of its charter		625 00
" Secretary of State, fees received by him for filing articles of incorporation		11,153 00
" Secretary of State, amount paid by Foreign Life Insurance Companies		5,868 99
Total		$158,276 22

State Prison Receipts.—The proceeds of the labor of convicts in the State Prison amounted during the fiscal year to fifty-seven thousand five

hundred and forty-one dollars and eighty-five cents ($57,541.85), showing a decrease, as compared with the preceding year, of nine thousand nine hundred and six dollars and fifty-one cents ($9,906.51). This is due to the fact that during the year all the contracts under which the convicts were employed expired, and the legislation of 1884 rendered it necessary to adopt a new system for their employment. The plan adopted by the Prison authorities was what is commonly known as the "piece-price plan," and as its establishment rendered necessary many alterations in the shops, the construction of new shops, and involved many unavoidable delays, there was necessarily an interval during which the convicts were idle and the receipts from this source practically ceased. Contracts have been entered into which it is believed will suffice to furnish employment for as many men as the authorities will have at their disposal, but the plan is not yet fully in operation, and it is not possible at this date to determine the full effect of the change upon the State Treasury. It is apparent, however, that the receipts from this source will be considerably less than under the former system, and it is not probable that the sum derived from this labor during the coming fiscal year will exceed forty thousand dollars ($40,000).

Dividends.—The only assets of the State Fund from which an income is derived are as follows:

1,000 shares Camden and Amboy Railroad stock, par value $100 per share	$100,000 00
1,887 shares Camden and Amboy and Delaware and Raritan Canal Company's stock, par value $100 per share	188,700 00
	$288,700 00

An annual dividend of ten per centum is paid upon this stock in quarterly installments by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and the amount of this dividend constitutes the credit to this account ($28,870).

Judicial Fees.—The total amount of fees paid into the Treasury during the fiscal year by the clerks of the several courts was eighteen thousand six hundred and forty-three dollars and thirty-six cents ($18,643.36). This consists of fees chargeable for the services of the Chancellor and the Justices of the Supreme Court, which fees were payable to those officers previous to the passage of the act providing for their compensation wholly by salary. There is much reason to believe that a large portion of these fees are not paid to the county

clerks, and, therefore, fail to find their way into the Treasury. There are, however, many difficulties surrounding the collection of the small sums which make up the annual receipts from this source, and the amount to be received in the coming year cannot safely be estimated as more than eighteen thousand dollars ($18,000).

Official Fees.—The credits to this account show the amount paid into the Treasury during the fiscal year by the Secretary of State as fees for services rendered by him in his several official capacities. The following statement is a copy of the return made by him, showing the amount received for each quarter and the total amount paid into the Treasury:

For the Quarter ending December 31st, 1884—		
As Secretary of State	$777 10	
" Clerk of the Court of Errors and Appeals and Clerk of the Court of Pardons	111 55	
" Register of the Prerogative Court	426 00	
" Commissioner of Insurance	244 00	
		$1,558 65
For the Quarter ending March 31st, 1885—		
As Secretary of State	$957 82	
" Clerk of the Court of Errors and Appeals and Clerk of the Court of Pardons	99 53	
" Register of the Prerogative Court	219 87	
" Commissioner of Insurance	7,522 83	
		8,800 05
For the Quarter ending June 30th, 1885—		
As Secretary of State	$987 79	
" Clerk of the Court of Errors and Appeals and Clerk of the Court of Pardons	164 97	
" Register of the Prerogative Court	219 16	
" Commissioner of Insurance	570 00	
		1,941 92
For the Quarter ending September 30th, 1885—		
As Secretary of State	$957 75	
" Clerk of the Court of Errors and Appeals and Clerk of the Court of Pardons	282 60	
" Register of the Prerogative Court	55 70	
" Commissioner of Insurance	218 00	
		1,514 05
Total		$13,814 67

State Tax.—The last general State tax on the property of individuals was levied in the year 1882, and was payable into the State

Treasury in 1883. At the date of my last report there was still due from one county a balance of this tax amounting to twenty-one thousand nine hundred and two dollars ($21,902), which claim was collected within the past fiscal year.

Insurance.—The credit to this account consists of the amount received from the several companies which had issued policies of insurance upon the State House, and with whom settlements were made immediately after the fire which destroyed a portion of the Capitol buildings in March, 1885. The damages were assessed by parties appointed by the several companies interested, on their part, and by the Governor, Comptroller and Treasurer on the part of the State, and a settlement was effected for the sum of twenty-two thousand seven hundred and seventy-seven dollars ($22,777), and this amount was paid into the Treasury.

Fines and Forfeited Recognizances.—The receipts from these sources during the year amounted to six thousand six hundred and fifty dollars and seventy-five cents ($6,650.75). There were disbursed sundry small sums as fees and costs, and pursuant to an act passed February 17th, 1885, the sum of four hundred and seventy-five dollars ($475) was repaid to Charles A. Koerner, he having paid a forfeited recognizance and afterward, at his own expense, returned the fugitive to this State.

The receipts during the year were as follows:

Forfeited Recognizances—		
From Hudson county		$4,750 00
" Middlesex county		384 71
" Monmouth county		285 00
" Salem county		95 00
Fines for violation of laws prohibiting the adulteration of milk		1,108 04
Fines imposed in the Court of Chancery		30 00
		$6,650 75
Less Fees and Costs paid	$61 69	
" Amount repaid Charles A. Koerner	475 00	
		536 69
		$6,114 06

Refunded Tax.—The credit to this account of five thousand three hundred and seventeen dollars and eight cents ($5,317.08), is the result of the settlement of a claim of more than twenty years' standing against the United States government for taxes illegally assessed during the civil war. The claim has been in the hands of parties

representing the State for many years, and in February, 1885, a settlement was effected, resulting in the payment into the State Treasury of the above-mentioned sum.

Legislature.—In 1885 the Legislature passed an act appropriating to State uses the sum of five hundred dollars ($500), which had been placed in the custody of the Treasury some years before, pending the investigation of a charge of attempted bribery of a member of the House of Assembly. The amount was covered into the Treasury and credited to this account.

The further receipts of the Treasury during the year have been from:

Fees for Commissions issued to commissioners of deeds from other States, five hundred and fifteen dollars ($515).

Sale of Revised Statutes, sold by the agent of the State under the act of March 6th, 1877, four hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents ($412.50).

State Industrial School, as proceeds of the labor of the inmates, three hundred and eighty-six dollars and seventy-two cents ($386.72).

Assessments on Private Acts.—Amount received by the Secretary of State and paid into the Treasury by him as assessments upon private acts passed at the legislative session of 1885, fifty dollars ($50).

The following statement shows in concise form the receipts of the *State Fund* during the past year from all sources, as well as the disbursements and the several purposes for which they were made:

RECEIPTS.

From Railroad and Canal Corporations—			
Taxes payable under acts existing prior to the act of April 10th, 1884	$74,852 95		
Interest	54 99		
		$74,907 94	
Tax from non-contesting companies, under act of April 10th, 1884	$389,958 08		
Interest	364 91		
		390,322 99	
Tax from contesting companies, under act of April 10th, 1884		371,462 84	
			$836,693 77

From Miscellaneous Corporations—

For account of tax of 1884	$22,139 10		
" " "	625 00		
Interest and costs	2,296 13		
		$25,060 23	
For account of tax of 1885	$116,044 52		
Interest	149 48		
		116,194 00	
Fees for filing articles of incorporation		11,153 00	
From Foreign Life Insurance Companies		5,868 99	
			$158,276 22
From State Prison Receipts			57,541 85
" Dividends on Stocks			28,870 00
" Judicial Fees			18,643 36
" Official Fees			13,814 67
" Fines and Forfeited Recognizances			6,114 06
" Commissions			515 00
" Sale of Revised Statutes			412 50
" State Industrial School			386 72
" Assessments on Private Acts			50 00
			$1,121,318 15
From Insurance			22,777 00
" Balance of State Tax of 1882			21,902 00
" Refunded Tax from United States Government			5,317 08
" Legislature			500 00
Total Revenue			$1,171,814 23
Amount received from Temporary Loan			100,000 00
Total Receipts			$1,271,814 23
Balance on hand October 31st, 1884			118,352 69
			$1,390,166 92

DISBURSEMENTS.

For Account of Public Debt		$40,000 00

Charitable and Reformatory—

For State Lunatic Asylum, Trenton	$39,032 95	
" " Morris Plains	51,639 75	
" County Lunatic Asylums	53,963 37	
" Reform School for Boys	46,494 04	
" Home for Disabled Soldiers	31,629 30	
" Industrial School for Girls	5,500 00	
" Pensions	3,718 12	
" Board of Charities and Correction	367 35	
" Soldiers' State Bounty	55 99	
		232,400 87

Courts, Crimes, etc.—

For Court Expenses		$116,109 84	
" State Prison—			
Maintenance	$68,023 80		
Salaries	66,628 04		
Repairs	6,665 86		
Discharged Convicts	1,308 50		
Appropriation for New Wall	9,664 27		
Appropriation for New Shops	11,029 06		
		$163,319 53	
For Legal Expenses		43,923 79	
" Law and Equity Reports		5,036 40	
" Requisitions		841 97	
			$329,231 53

State Government—

For Legislature	$71,584 30	
" Salaries	37,854 87	
" Clerical Service	25,645 56	
" State House Expenses	23,502 59	
" State Board of Assessors	27,331 08	
" Stationery and Postage	7,468 74	
" State Library	1,503 60	
" State House Fire	13,926 63	
" Account of Appropriation for New Capitol	1,971 20	
		210,793 57

Military—

For National Guard	$87,911 23	
" Arsenal Repairs	557 99	
" Stockton Rifle Association	1,392 44	
		89,861 66

Publication—

For Printing and Binding	$39,280 13	
" Advertising	76,388 35	
" Preservation of Records	3,000 00	
		118,668 48

Educational—

For Account of Appropriation to Normal School	$12,500 00	
" Normal School Repairs	302 60	
" For Education of the Blind and Feeble-Minded	29,143 09	
" School for Deaf-Mutes	7,637 33	
" Free-School Libraries	800 00	
" Miscellaneous Expenses	2,263 57	
		52,646 59

Scientific, Sanitary, etc.—

For Bounties on Sugar	$13,634 69	
" Agriculture	7,500 90	
" Agricultural Experiment Stations	13,097 93	
" Geological Survey	13,803 10	
" Inspection of Fisheries	7,852 93	
" Account of Appropriation for Food Fishes	2,625 00	
" Bureau of Statistics	3,852 00	
" State Board of Health	3,683 20	
" Vital Statistics	3,138 19	
" Pleuro-Pneumonia	2,246 78	
" Labor Inspection	3,080 94	
" Milk Inspection	2,678 17	
		$77,193 83

Miscellaneous—

For Riparian Commission	$13,937 50	
" Monmouth Battle Monument	10,417 04	
" Obsequies of General Grant	11,098 39	
" New Orleans Exposition	9,985 39	
" Census	3,933 41	
" Insurance	1,175 00	
" Incidentals	2,139 84	
" Interest	1,750 00	
" Washington Headquarters	2,500 00	
" Wrecks	645 55	
" Sinking Fund Expenses	521 81	
		58,103 93
Total Expenditures		$1,208,900 46
Temporary Loan Paid		100,000 00
		$1,308,900 46
Balance on hand October 31st, 1885		$81,266 46

The following detailed explanations are presented of the disbursements shown in the foregoing statement:

PUBLIC DEBT.

The amount of outstanding bonds of the State remains the same as at the date of my last report, viz., one million five hundred and ninety-one thousand three hundred dollars ($1,591,300), no portion of the principal of this debt having fallen due within the past fiscal year. The law requires that in any year in which a portion of the principal of this debt falls due, ten thousand dollars ($10,000) shall be paid by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund from the moneys under their immediate control, and that the remainder shall be paid

from the State Treasury. In the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1884, the amount of principal falling due was one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000), and the amount of obligation upon the Treasury was, consequently, ninety thousand dollars ($90,000), but the condition of the Sinking Fund was such that only fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) of this sum were required during that year, and the remaining forty thousand dollars ($40,000) were paid in the year just closed. One hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) of the principal of this debt fall due January 1st, 1886, together with the interest upon the whole amount of the outstanding bonds. The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund are required to pay the whole of the interest, and as they are also required to pay ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of the principal, the only payment for account of this debt which will be required from the State Treasury in the coming fiscal year is the sum of ninety thousand dollars ($90,000).

The following statement shows the amount of the outstanding bonds falling due annually until the year 1902, when the last of them mature:

Payable	January 1st, 1886	$100,000 00
"	January 1st, 1887	95,000 00
"	January 1st, 1888	100,000 00
"	January 1st, 1889	100,000 00
"	January 1st, 1890	100,000 00
"	January 1st, 1891	100,000 00
"	January 1st, 1892	62,600 00
"	January 1st, 1893	96,300 00
"	January 1st, 1894	100,000 00
"	January 1st, 1895	77,000 00
"	January 1st, 1896	67,000 00
"	January 1st, 1897	199,400 00
"	January 1st, 1898	200,000 00
"	January 1st, 1899	123,000 00
"	January 1st, 1902	71,000 00
	Total	$1,591,300 00

CHARITABLE AND REFORMATORY.

State Lunatic Asylums.—The number of patients in the two State asylums, towards whose support the State contributes, has materially increased since the date of my last report, there being, according to the last quarterly returns, twelve hundred and seventy-two (1,272) of these patients as against eleven hundred and one (1,101) last year, an increase of seventy-one (71). Twelve hundred and thirty-four (1,234) of these are patients sent from the several counties, and thirty-eight (38) are convicts who have become insane while confined in the State Prison, and have been sent to the asylums for treatment. One dollar ($1) per week is paid from the State Treasury toward the mainte-

nance of each patient sent from the several counties, and the State bears the whole expense of maintaining the convicts, paying for such maintenance at the rate of seven dollars ($7) per week, and paying also for their necessary clothing. The unusual increase in the number of patients has necessarily led to an increase in the disbursements, this increase being, in the case of the asylum at Trenton, nine hundred and forty-two dollars and twenty-seven cents ($942.27), and in the case of the asylum at Morris Plains, of three thousand five hundred and fifty dollars and ninety cents ($3,550.90), a total increase of four thousand four hundred and ninety-three dollars and seventeen cents ($4,493.17).

The following statements show the purposes for which disbursements were made for account of each asylum:

State Lunatic Asylum at Trenton—

For Appropriation toward the maintenance of county patients		$28,339 00
" Support and clothing of insane convicts		3,313 95
" Salaries of officers		7,200 00
		$38,852 95
For Managers' traveling expenses	$36 00	
" Expenses of appraisement of personal property	84 00	
" Examination and transportation of insane convicts	60 00	
		180 00
Total		$39,032 95

State Asylum for the Insane at Morris Plains—

For Appropriation toward the maintenance of county patients		$30,404 41
" Support and clothing of insane convicts		11,225 93
" Salaries of officers		9,412 50
		$51,042 84
For Managers' traveling expenses	$396 60	
" Expenses of appraisement of personal property	80 00	
" Examination and transportation of insane convicts	120 31	
		596 91
Total		$51,639 75

It is estimated that ninety thousand dollars ($90,000) will be required for the purposes of these two institutions in the coming year.

County Lunatic Asylums.—The contributions toward the maintenance of insane patients confined in asylums maintained in the several counties have amounted, in the past year, to fifty-three thousand nine hundred and sixty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents ($53,963.37), and show an increase as compared with the preceding

year of eighteen thousand four hundred and sixty-three dollars and sixty-four cents ($18,463.64). This increase is not mainly due to an addition to the number of patients, as such addition has not been marked, but is due to the fact that bills proper to the year before had not been settled at the date of my last report, and having been paid within the past fiscal year have swelled the apparent expenditures for the year beyond their proper proportions.

The payments during the year have been as follows:

To Hudson county	$24,234 00
" Essex county	18,012 28
" Camden county	4,410 69
" Burlington county	3,309 00
" Passaic county	2,353 41
" Salem county	837 71
" Cumberland county	806 28
Total	$53,963 37

It is probable that forty thousand dollars ($40,000) will suffice to meet the requirements of this account in the coming year.

These statements show that the whole amount of the disbursements from the State Treasury during the year for the maintenance of the insane, was one hundred and forty-four thousand six hundred and thirty-six dollars and seven cents ($144,636.07). The whole number of patients for whose benefit this disbursement was made, was two thousand one hundred and thirty-four (2,134), of whom thirty-eight (38) were insane convicts. The following list shows the several asylums in which these patients were confined, and the number in each:

County patients in the State Asylum at Trenton	555
" " " " for the Insane at Morris Plains	679
Insane convicts in the Asylum at Trenton	9
" " " " " Morris Plains	29
Patients in the Essex County Asylum	383
" " Hudson County Asylum	247
" " Camden County Asylum	95
" " Burlington County Asylum	61
" " Passaic County Asylum	51
" " Cumberland County Asylum	14
" " Salem County Asylum	11
Total	2,134

Reform School for Boys.—An act passed at the session of 1885 increased the annual appropriation for the support of this school by

providing that the maximum sum to be paid from the State Treasury, upon the approval of the Governor, should be thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents ($37.50) per quarter, or one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) per annum for each boy maintained in the school, the payments to be based upon quarterly statements submitted to the Governor, showing the average number of boys maintained during each three months.

At the date of my last report there remained to the credit of the school, on the books of the Treasury, an undrawn appropriation of the year 1884 of four thousand dollars ($4,000) for the purchase of furniture, and at the session of 1885 an appropriation of three thousand dollars ($3,000) was made to complete a building to be used as a granary.

The amount allowed for maintenance upon statements submitted and approved since the date of my last report, was forty-six thousand three hundred and ninety dollars and sixteen cents ($46,390.16). The credits for the year just closed have, therefore, been as follows:

Appropriation of 1884, for the purchase of furniture	$4,000 00
" 1885, to complete granary	3,000 00
Allowance for maintenance for quarter ending December 31st, 1884	7,899 00
" " " March 31st, 1885	7,188 00
" " " January 30th, 1885	10,662 37
" " " September 30th, 1885	10,244 67
" " " December 31st, 1885	10,396 12
Total	$53,390 16

The payments to the Treasurer of the school during the year have been as follows:

Appropriation of 1884, for the purchase of furniture	$4,000 00
" 1885, to complete granary	3,000 00
For account of allowance for maintenance	39,494 04
Total	$46,494 04

The undrawn balance of allowance made for maintenance is six thousand eight hundred and ninety-six dollars and twelve cents ($6,896.12), which is now subject to the draft of the Trustees. No information has been received from them as to the amount which will probably be required for the support of the school in the coming fiscal year, but judging from the average amount of the quarterly requisitions in the past, it is probable that to pay the undrawn balance and to meet the further necessities of the school, the sum of forty-seven thousand dollars ($47,000) will be required.

No revenue has been derived from this institution under the law providing that the proceeds of the labor of the inmates of public reformatory institutions shall be paid into the Treasury of the State.

Home for Disabled Soldiers.—The annual appropriation for the support of this institution is twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000), but as this sum is insufficient to meet the annual expenses, it is customary to make each year a special appropriation to supply the deficiency. At the beginning of the fiscal year there remained to the credit of this account an undrawn balance of former appropriations amounting to ten thousand two hundred and eighty-four dollars and seventy-four cents ($10,284.74), and at the session of 1885 the Legislature made a special appropriation of five thousand dollars ($5,000), making the credit for the year as follows:

Undrawn balance	$10,284 74
Annual appropriation	25,000 00
Special appropriation of 1885	5,000 00
Total	$40,284 74

The amount paid to the Treasurer of the home during the year was thirty-one thousand six hundred and twenty-nine dollars and thirty cents ($31,629.30), and the balance due, therefore, at the present time, is eight thousand six hundred and fifty-five dollars and forty cents ($8,655.40). This balance the Treasury must be prepared to pay in the coming year, as well as the amount of the annual appropriation. The estimate, therefore, is as follows:

Undrawn balance	$8,655 40
Annual appropriation	25,000 00
Total amount	$33,655 40

It is, of course, not known whether application will be made at the coming session for a special appropriation, but should any such be granted the amount of it must be added to the above sum to show the liability of the Treasury, for the purposes of this account, in the coming year.

Industrial School for Girls.—The balance of former appropriations remaining to the credit of this account at the beginning of the year was three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500), and at the session of 1885 a further appropriation of five thousand dollars ($5,000) was made for the support of the school, making a total credit for the year of eight thousand five hundred dollars ($8,500). The managers have drawn

during the year five thousand five hundred dollars ($5,500), leaving a credit at this date of three thousand dollars ($3,000). The managers have paid into the Treasury within the year the sum of three hundred and eighty-six dollars and seventy-two cents ($386.72), but this has been credited to the general fund and does not enter into this account. No intimation has been given me of the sum that will be needed by the institution for the coming year, but it is assumed that the usual appropriation of five thousand dollars ($5,000) will be asked and granted. This, added to the undrawn balance, will make the requirements for the year eight thousand dollars ($8,000), which sum is presented as the estimate.

Pensions.—The number of persons receiving pensions under the general law applicable to soldiers of the war of 1812 or their representatives, has not changed during the year, but the number of pensioners under special laws has beeen decreased by one death. Owing, however, to an increase in the annual allowance in one case, made by an act passed in 1885, and the expenditure of an increased amount in connection with the prosecution of pension claims at Washington, the total disbursements for this account show an increase, as compared with the preceding year, of five hundred and eighty-nine dollars and eighty-six cents ($589.86).

The payments have been as follows:

To soldiers of 1812, or widows of such soldiers, under general pension law	$800 00
" pensioners under special laws	2,365 18
For services and expenses in connection with pension claims at Washington	552 94
Total	$3,718 12

The number of pensioners now on the list and the amounts due them are shown by the following statement:

Number of soldiers or widows now on list under general law	8
Aggregate amount due them yearly	$800 00
Number of special pensioners now on list	7
Aggregate amount due them yearly	$1,812 00

The estimate presented for the coming year is three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500).

Charities and Correction.—The act of March 23d, 1883, providing for the establishment of a State Council of Charities and Correction permits the Council to expend one thousand dollars ($1,000) yearly in

the performance of the duties imposed upon them. The expenditures for the past year have been as follows:

For Printing and Stationery	$124 75
" Clerical Service	150 00
" Traveling Expenses of Members	92 60
Total	$367 35

Soldiers' State Bounty.—But four claims have been allowed during the year under the laws allowing extra State pay to soldiers of the late civil war. These have amounted to fifty-six dollars and eighty-six cents ($56.86). No estimate for the coming year is necessary.

COURTS, CRIMES, ETC.

Court Expenses.—The following statement shows the disbursements from the State Treasury in the past year for the several branches of the judicial department of this State:

Supreme Court—

Salaries of Justices	$70,672 34
Stationery, &c., for Clerk	895 36
Salary of Reporter	500 00
Sergeant-at-Arms and Crier	840 00
Total	$72,907 70

Court of Chancery—

Salaries of Chancellor and Vice-Chancellors and per diem allowances to Vice-Chancellors	$25,799 96
Advisory Masters	2,118 50
Stenographers	3,540 00
Sergeants-at-Arms	1,848 00
Clerk in Chancery, for expenses of arranging papers, &c	546 00
Clerk in Chancery, for stationery, &c	1,185 53
Salary of Reporter	500 00
Rent of Vice-Chancellors' Chambers	2,000 00
Miscellaneous Expenses	17 55
Total	$37,555 54

Court of Errors and Appeals and Court of Pardons—

Per Diem and Mileage of Members and Officers	$5,438 00
Miscellaneous Expenses	208 60
Total	$5,646 60

These payments may be summarized as follows:

For expenses of Supreme Court	$72,907 70
" " " Court of Chancery	37,555 54
" " " Courts of Errors and Appeals and of Pardons	5,646 60
Total	$116,109 84

The charges to this account show an increase, as compared with the preceding year, of one thousand three hundred and thirty-two dollars and forty-six cents ($1,332.46), partly because of an increase in the annual expenses chargeable to the account, and partly because of an increase in the amount paid to the members of the Court of Errors and Appeals and the Court of Pardons. An act passed at the session of 1885 provided for the payment of rent of rooms in the city of Newark, for the use of the Chancellor and Vice Chancellor in the hearing of causes, at an expense not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars per annum, which expense will, in the future, constitute an addition to this account.

The estimate for the coming year is one hundred and twenty thousand dollars ($120,000).

State Prison.—The expenditure during the year, from the State Treasury, for State Prison purposes, has amounted to one hundred and sixty-three thousand three hundred and nineteen dollars and fifty-three cents ($163,319.53), and has been for the following purposes:

For Maintenance	$68,023 80
" Salaries	66,628 04
" Repairs	6,665 86
" Payments to Discharged Convicts	1,308 50
	$142,626 20
For Account of Appropriation for New Wall	9,664 27
" " " " Shops	11,029 06
Total	$163,319 53

In the disbursements for the accounts referable to the current expenses of the Prison there has been an increase of nine thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars and ninety cents ($9,787.90), which is due to the increased number of convicts, necessitating a larger expenditure for their maintenance and for the payment of the requisite number of employes to enforce proper discipline.

The labor of the convicts produced during the year the sum of fifty-seven thousand five hundred and forty-one dollars and eighty-five cents ($57,541.85), which was credited as part of the general revenue

and will be found stated among the receipts of the State Fund. Deducting this sum from the disbursements for current expenses shows an actual cost to the State for the maintenance of the Prison for the year of eighty-five thousand and eighty-four dollars and thirty-five cents ($85,084.35).

In 1883 an appropriation of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) was made for the purpose of erecting a new wall around the unenclosed grounds attached to the Prison, and at the date of my last report there remained undrawn a balance of this appropriation amounting to twelve thousand five hundred and eighty-nine dollars and thirty-seven cents ($12,589.37). There have been payments made during the year for account of this balance amounting to nine thousand six hundred and sixty-four dollars and twenty-seven cents ($9,664.27), and there remains still due a balance of two thousand nine hundred and twenty-five dollars and ten cents ($2,925.10).

At the session of 1885 an appropriation of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) was made for the erection of new shops, and of this appropriation there has been paid during the year the sum of eleven thousand and twenty-nine dollars and six cents ($11,029.06), leaving a balance still due of three thousand nine hundred and seventy dollars and ninety-four cents ($3,970.94). The latter act provided that any unexpended balance of the appropriation for the new wall which should not be required for the original purpose to which it was devoted, should be used as supplementary, if required, to the appropriation for the new shops, and it is stated by the commission in charge of the latter work that the undrawn balance and the whole of the appropriation for shops will be required to complete the work in hand. It will be necessary, therefore, to provide for the payment in the coming year of these two unpaid balances, amounting in the aggregate to six thousand eight hundred and ninety-six dollars and four cents ($6,896.04), as well as for the sums required for the current expenses of the Prison.

The establishment of a new system for the employment of the convicts has already necessitated many alterations and improvements in the work-rooms, as well as in the appliances for originating and transmitting power, the cost of which will be chargeable to the account of "Repairs," and the constantly increasing number of convicts will swell the accounts for "Maintenance" and for "Salaries" of the attendants.

The requirements of this account for the coming fiscal year may be stated as follows:

For Maintenance	$70,000 00
" Salaries	70,000 00
" Repairs	10,000 00
" Payments to Discharged Convicts	1,300 00
	$151,300 00
Balance of appropriation for new shops	6,896 04
Total	$158,196 04

Requisitions.—In the past year no extraordinary expenditures have been required for this account as in the preceding year, and the disbursements for the rendition of fugitives from justice have amounted to but eight hundred and forty-one dollars and ninety-seven cents ($841.97).

These payments are made from time to time on the approval of the Governor as the necessity arises, and it is of course impossible to anticipate the amount which will be required.

One thousand dollars ($1,000) is presented as the estimate.

Law and Equity Reports.—No purchases of reprints of reports of the Supreme Court and the Court of Chancery have been made during the year, and the only expenditures for this account have been those connected with the publication of current reports. They have been as follows:

Amount paid to the Law and Equity Reporters, for copies of current reports	$3,336 60
Amount paid for Binding	1,167 00
" " Copies of Opinions of Equity Reports	532 80
Total	$5,036 40

The amount required for the coming year will depend upon the extent to which the Treasurer will exercise his right to purchase reprints, but in the absence of any such purchases, it is probable that five thousand dollars ($5,000) will meet the requirements of this account.

Legal Expenses.—The litigation occasioned by the contests made by railroad and corporations against the assessments of taxes upon them, under the act of 1884, necessitated a much larger expenditure for this account than was anticipated at the beginning of the year, and this expenditure was increased by the appeal of the Central Railroad Company from the valuation of their property, made in 1883, under the railroad tax act of 1876. These cases were placed in the hands of the Attorney-General and their proper conduct necessitated

the employment of assistant counsel and engineers as well as the taking and printing of an immense amount of testimony. Other expenses were incurred during the year which were chargeable to this account, such as fees for the collection of claims against the United States government and legal services in the cases of contest of the tax on miscellaneous corporations, and in the case of the dispute between this State and the State of Delaware as to the boundary line. The whole expenditure for these purposes during the year may be classified as follows:

Services of counsel and engineers and expenses of taking testimony in the matter of the appeal of the Central Railroad Company	$11,606 15
Services of counsel in the cases under act of 1884	13,885 63
Expert testimony	9,551 21
Printing testimony, returns to writs, briefs, &c	3,531 58
Fees of court, masters and stenographers, and expenses of taking testimony	3,162 25
Miscellaneous legal expenses	2,186 97
Total	$43,923 79

The cases contested under the act of 1884, as well as the case of the appeal of the Central Railroad Company, are still in the hands of counsel, and it is estimated that thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) will be required to meet the necessities of this account in the coming year.

STATE GOVERNMENT.

Legislature.—The expenditures usually chargeable to this account include the salaries of the members and officers, payment of the compensation of sundry employes and other minor miscellaneous expenses, and the payments for stationery and other supplies authorized by the customary "incidental bill." These expenditures have been as follows in the past year:

For Salaries of Senators and Members of the General Assembly	$40,833 34
" Compensation of Officers and Pages	22,600 00
" Miscellaneous Expenses	2,155 92
" Incidental Bill	5,995 04
Total	$71,584 30

In the absence of any unusual expense, the sum of seventy-two thousand dollars ($72,000) will suffice to meet the disbursements for this account in the coming year.

Salaries.—No material change has taken place in the expenditures chargeable to this account. The disbursements have amounted to thirty-seven thousand eight hundred and fifty-four dollars and eighty-seven cents ($37,854.87), and show a decrease of one thousand six hundred and seventy-one dollars and ninety-one cents ($1,671.91), but this is owing to payments proper to the year not having been made at the time the books for the year were closed.

The estimate for the coming year is thirty-eight thousand dollars ($38,000).

Clerical Service.—The compensation of the clerical force in the several departments, and chargeable to this account, has amounted to twenty-five thousand six hundred and forty-five dollars and fifty-six cents ($25,645.56), an increase of two thousand two hundred and seventy-eight dollars and fifty-eight cents ($2,278.58).

It is estimated that twenty-six thousand dollars ($26,000) will be needed for the purposes of this account.

State House Expenses.—For the care and repair of the legislative halls and other rooms in the Capitol, the purchase and repair of furniture and supplies, and for the necessary gas, coal and water, there has been expended in the past year the sum of twenty-three thousand five hundred and two dollars and fifty-nine cents ($23,502.59), a decrease, as compared with the preceding year, of one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five dollars and eleven cents ($1,865.11). This decrease is mainly due to the fact that a portion of the offices were destroyed by fire, but this fact has entailed expenses in other directions, and it is estimated that at least twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) will be required for these purposes in the coming year.

State Board of Assessors.—The disbursements charged to this account represent not only the current expenses of the new department or bureau established by the act for the taxation of railroad and canal property, passed in 1884, but also the expenses incurred by the Board under the authority of the act, in ascertaining the value of the property which they are annnually required to assess. These expenses include the employment of surveyors and civil engineers, payments to local assessors for returns made to the Board, expenses connected with suits brought by contesting companies, and other expenses, and are wholly distinct from and not to be confounded with the current expenses of the Board. The current expenses have amounted, in the past year, to but two thousand three hundred and fifty-three dollars and fifty-one cents ($2,353.51). The expenditures

for services of engineers, surveyors, local assessors, &c., have amounted to twelve thousand one hundred and eighty-six dollars and thirty-four cents ($12,186.34), and it is estimated that to meet expenditures of this class in the coming year, and to pay the salaries and other expenses properly chargeable to this account, the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) will be required.

Stationery and Postage.—The charges to this account have amounted to seven thousand four hundred and sixty-eight dollars and seventy-four cents ($7,468.74), an increase as compared with the preceding year of nine hundred and seventy-nine dollars and eighty cents ($979.80). This increase is mainly in the item of postage, which, with the increase of business in all the departments, naturally grows larger every year. The estimate for the coming year is seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500).

State Library.—At the beginning of the year there remained to the credit of this account nine dollars and ninety-eight cents ($9.98). The annual appropriation for all purposes connected with the Library, excepting the salary of the Librarian and his assistants, is one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500), and the disbursements during the past year have amounted to one thousand five hundred and eight dollars and sixty cents ($1,508.60), leaving a balance now to the credit of the account of one dollar and thirty-eight cents ($1.38). In the absence of any increase of the annual appropriation for library purposes, the amount required in the coming year will be one thousand five hundred and one dollars and thirty-eight cents ($1,501.38).

State House Fire.—Immediately after the fire, which destroyed a considerable portion of the State Capitol buildings, the Legislature passed an act authorizing the Governor, Treasurer, Comptroller and Attorney-General to purchase the necessary furniture and other appliances to supply the losses sustained by the several departments by reason of the fire, and make such arrangements as they might deem necessary for the efficient transaction of the public business, and for the proper care of the public books and records. One of the first operations under this act was to order the construction of a number of fire-proof vaults in the basement of the building left standing, and these were speedily completed and used for storing documents and records of value which had previously been kept in the vaults destroyed by the fire. The furniture had been either destroyed by fire, or so damaged by water as to be useless in the offices of the Treasurer, Secretary of State, Quartermaster-General,

Clerk in Chancery, Clerk of the Supreme Court, and Chief of the Bureau of Statistics, and it became necessary to immediately replace this furniture, and to furnish these several officers with rooms for the transaction of their business. The expenses incurred for these purposes, as well as the expense of clearing away the debris of the fire, and the other incidental expenses incident to and consequent upon the fire, were charged to this account, and have amounted, up to this time, to thirteen thousand nine hundred and twenty-six dollars and sixty-three cents ($13,926.63).

During the reconstruction of the burned portion of the Capitol, there will be chargeable to this account the rent of the buildings outside of the State House, occupied temporarily for public purposes, and the cost of the necessary lights, fuel, water, attendance, &c., and it is estimated that there will be required for these purposes in the coming year the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000).

Appropriation for Rebuilding Capitol.—The act for the reconstruction of the Capitol appointed a commission for this purpose consisting of the Governor, Treasurer, Comptroller and Secretary of State, and appropriated the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000), together with five thousand dollars ($5,000) to make necessary changes in the ventilation of the Senate and Assembly chambers.

It is the intention of the Commission to lay before you a detailed report of their operations under this act, and to call the attention of the Legislature to the necessity for a further appropriation to properly carry out the purposes of the law. There has been paid from the Treasury during the year the sum of one thousand nine hundred and seventy-one dollars and twenty cents ($1,971.20), leaving the amount payable as follows:

Balance of appropriation for reconstruction of Capitol	$48,028 80
Appropriation for ventilation of Senate and Assembly Chambers	5,000 00
Total	$53,028 80

The above sum will have to be provided for disbursement in the coming year, as well as any further sums which may be appropriated for these purposes.

MILITARY.

The charges to "Militia" or military account have amounted in the past year to eighty-nine thousand eight hundred and sixty-one dollars and sixty-six cents ($89,861.66), and show an increase, as compared with the preceding year, of eighteen thousand and thirty-eight dollars and thirty-one cents ($18,038.31). These expenses, however,

were not all incurred in the fiscal year in which the disbursements were made, many of the bills connected with the camp at Manasquan in 1884 not having been presented for payment until within the fiscal year just closed. These amounted to eleven thousand two hundred and nine dollars ($11,209), and the amount disbursed up to this date for purposes connected with the encampment of 1885 has been sixteen thousand five hundred dollars ($16,500), making the total disbursements for encampment purposes within the year twenty-seven thousand seven hundred and nine dollars ($27,709), being for portions of the expenses of two encampments. Another cause of the increase of the military expenditure was the death of Major-General Gershom Mott, Commandant of the National Guard, who was buried with military honors in November, 1884, the transportation and other expenses being charged to this account, and amounting to one thousand six hundred and fifty-nine dollars and sixty-seven cents ($1,659.67).

The expenditures of the year for military purposes may be classified as follows:

For Appropriations to the National Guard in lieu of armory rent, and appropriations for expenses to the several headquarters	$31,647 54
" Amount expended for clothing, equipments, camp and garrison equipage and miscellaneous expenses	13,083 15
" Transportation and other expenses for inspections, drills, &c	3,612 20
" Transportation and other expenses connected with rifle practice	1,005 43
" Expenses connected with encampment of 1884	11,209 00
" Expenses connected with encampment of 1885	16,500 00
	$77,057 32
For Obsequies of General Gershom Mott	1,659 67
" Allowance to Stockton Rifle Association under joint resolution of 1884	1,392 44
" Compensation of employes at State Arsenal	5,878 88
" Repairs and other expenses of State Arsenal	2,047 12
" For expenses of Quartermaster-General's office, not including salaries	782 68
" Expenses of Adjutant-General's office, not including salaries	1,043 55
Total	$89,861 66

It is estimated that eighty-five thousand dollars ($85,000) will be required for the purposes of this account in the coming year.

PUBLICATION.

Printing and Binding.—The expenditures usually charged to this account include the cost of printing the Reports of the several de-

partments, the Session Laws, the Minutes of the two Houses of the Legislature and the Legislative Documents, as well as the current matter ordered during the session, and for binding the Laws, Journals and Documents. These (excepting the binding) are done under contract, after advertisement for proposals, and the expenditures in the past year have amounted to thirty-nine thousand two hundred and eighty dollars and thirteen cents ($39,280.13).

They have been for the following purposes:

For printing Reports of State Officers and Institutions for 1884		$19,607 61
" " 8,000 copies of Pamphlet Laws of 1885	$1,674 00	
" " 1,000 copies of Senate Journal of 1884	756 00	
" " 1,000 copies of Legislative Documents of 1885	1,887 87	
" " Senate and Assembly Bills, current matter and Special Reports of the Session of 1885, including 1,000 copies of Assembly Minutes	6,370 02	
		10,687 89
For printing State Officers' Reports and Governor's Message in the German language		6,766 64
" Miscellaneous printing and binding		2,217 99
Total		$39,280 13

Attention was called in my last report to the fact that the act requiring that advertisement shall each year be made for proposals to print all reports and documents "in such manner and form as may be ordered by the Legislature at its regular session," and that the Legislature had failed to take the action indicated by the law. There was a similar omission in the following year, and the Governor and Comptroller, pursuing again the course adopted in the preceding year, called together the Joint Committee on Printing and decided upon the number of the respective reports and documents to be printed, after which the required advertisement was made and contracts were entered into for the work. These contracts, although made at extremely low rates, were fulfilled in the most satisfactory manner.

It is, of course, impossible to make even an approximate estimate of the cost of this work in the coming year, since the several documents to be printed are subject to such variations in length, but, judging from the past year, the sum of forty thousand dollars ($40,000) may be presented as the estimate for the coming year.

Advertising.—The expenditures for this account in the past year have amounted to seventy-six thousand three hundred and eighty-eight dollars and thirty-five cents ($76,388.35), and have been for the following purposes:

For Advertising Laws and Joint Resolutions passed at the session of 1885	$73,851 35
" Publishing Governor's Proclamations and other advertisements	2,171 15
" Translating Laws and Joint Resolutions into the German language for publication	365 85
Total	$76,388 35

The increase in the cost of publishing the laws, as compared with the preceding year, is eight thousand six hundred and eighty-five dollars ($8,685), and is due to the passage of acts increasing the number of newspapers in which the session laws should be published.

The requirements of this account cannot be estimated accurately in advance, depending, as they do, upon the number and length of the acts to be passed at the coming session, but seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000) is deemed a sufficient estimate.

Preservation of Records.—An act of 1884 makes an annual appropriation (for three years) of three thousand dollars ($3,000) to enable the New Jersey Historical Society to continue the work of editing and printing the early records of the State in the form known as the "New Jersey Archives." Nine volumes of these records have already been published and placed in the hands of the Commissioners of the State Library for distribution, and the amount of the annual appropriation has been paid to the Treasurer of the New Jersey Historical Society within the past year.

Three thousand dollars ($3,000), is presented as the estimate for the coming year.

EDUCATIONAL.

The amount of the State school tax received into the Treasury and distributed in the past fiscal year was one million three hundred and ninety-six thousand nine hundred and sixty-eight dollars ($1,396,968). This was repaid to the several counties in accordance with an apportionment made by the State Board of Education, and there was also distributed to them the sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000), being the amount of the annual appropriation for public school purposes from the income of the *School Fund.* Other expenditures for purposes connected with the system of free public education have heretofore been paid from the general revenue of the State, but in 1885 the Legislature passed acts transferring these disbursements to the *School Fund.* A portion of these payments had already been made when the acts referred to were passed, and these payments were of course charged to the *State Fund.* They were as follows:

For account of appropriation to State Normal School	$12,500 00
" repairs to Model and Normal School buildings	302 60
" appropriation to encourage the formation of libraries in the public schools	800 00
" expenses of educating and maintaining deaf-mute pupils in the New Jersey School for Deaf-Mutes	7,637 33
" expenses of office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction, State Board of Education and Teachers' Institutes	2,263 57
Total	$23,503 50

Since the passage of the acts above referred to, the payments required for these purposes have been made from the income of the School Fund, and will be fully stated amongst the transactions of that Fund.

Blind and Feeble-Minded.—The payments made to institutions in other States for the maintenance and tuition of blind and feeble-minded pupils from this State have amounted in the past year to twenty-nine thousand one hundred and forty-three dollars and nine cents ($29,143.09). The number of pupils of each class for which this expenditure was made was as follows:

For 76 feeble-minded pupils	$18,966 26
" 35 blind pupils	10,176 83
Total	$29,143 09

The institutions in which these were supported, the number of pupils in each and the amount paid to each, are shown by the following statement:

Pennsylvania Training School for Feeble-Minded Children, Elwyn, Pa., 76 pupils	$18,966 26
New York Institution for the Blind, New York City, 27 pupils	7,566 83
Pennsylvania Institution for Instruction of the Blind, Philadelphia, Pa., 8 pupils	2,610 00
Total	$29,143 09

It is estimated that thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) will be required for the purposes of this account in the coming year.

SCIENTIFIC, SANITARY, &C.

Bounties on Sugar.—The act passed at the session of 1881, "to encourage the manufacture of sugar in New Jersey," provided for the payment from the State Treasury of a bounty of one dollar ($1) for

each ton of sugar-cane grown and manufactured into sugar in this State, and a further bounty of one cent for each pound of merchantable sugar made from sorghum or other sugar-cane grown in the State. The payments under the act in the past fiscal year have been as follows:

Bounty on sugar-cane grown	$9,876 00
Bounty on manufactured sugar	3,758 69
Total	$13,634 69

The claims for these bounties are, under the act, required to be examined and certified by the Chief of the Bureau of Statistics before being presented to the Comptroller for payment, and this officer informs me that eleven thousand dollars ($11,000) will probably suffice to meet the claims of this character to be presented within the coming year. That sum is therefore presented as the estimate.

The operations of this act were limited to five years from the date of its passsge, and disbursements for this purpose will cease with the payments to be made in the current year, unless the Legislature shall take action, at the coming session, for their continuation.

Agricultural Experiment Stations.—The annual appropriation for the purposes of this branch of the State's scientific work is eleven thousand dollars ($11,000). At the date of my last report there remained to the credit of this account an undrawn balance of appropriations amounting to three thousand six hundred and four dollars and sixty-six cents ($3,604.66), making, with the appropriation for the year just closed, a total credit of fourteen thousand six hundred and four dollars and sixty-six cents ($14,604.66). During the year the managers have drawn thirteen thousand and ninety-seven dollars and ninety-three cents ($13,097.93), leaving a credit balance at this date of one thousand five hundred and six dollars and seventy-three cents ($1,506.73). This balance, as well as the amount of the annual appropriation, will be subject to draft in the coming year, and, therefore, the sum for which provision must be made is twelve thousand five hundred and six dollars and seventy-three cents ($12,506.73).

Geological Survey.—At the date of my last report the undrawn balance of appropriations remaining to the credit of this account was eight hundred and thirty-one dollars and eighty-nine cents ($831.89). The annual appropriation is eight thousand dollars ($8,000), and the payments during the year have amounted to eight thousand two hundred and sixteen dollars and twenty-eight cents ($8,216.28),

leaving an undrawn balance of six hundred and fifteen dollars and sixty-one cents ($615.61), which, together with the amount of the annual appropriation, will be payable within the coming year.

The managers have authority under the law to publish maps of their work, the annual expense of which is subject to no specific limitation, and is not chargeable to the appropriation. The expenditure for this purpose in the past year amounted to five thousand five hundred and eighty-six dollars and eighty-two cents ($5,586.82), and the State Geologist informs me that the publications of this character now in course of preparation, and which it will be desirable to issue in the coming year will involve an expenditure estimated at six thousand dollars ($6,000). In this case the provision to be made for the requirements of this account will be as follows:

Undrawn balance of appropriations	$615 61
Annual appropriation	8,000 00
Total	$8,615 61
Amount required for publication of maps, &c	6,000 00
Total	$14,615 61

Fisheries.—In 1884 an act was passed appropriating three thousand dollars ($3,000) for the purpose of increasing the fish production in the waters of the State, and at the date of my last report, one thousand two hundred dollars ($1,200) of this appropriation remained undrawn. At the session of 1885 a further appropriation was made, of two thousand dollars ($2,000), and during the year the Commissioners of Fisheries have drawn the sum of two thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars ($2,625), leaving a balance still due of five hundred and seventy-five dollars ($575). The payments during the year for salaries of fish wardens and expenses incurred by the Commissioners in the performance of their duties, have amounted to seven thousand eight hundred and fifty-two dollars and ninety-three cents ($7,852.93), and it is estimated that seven thousand dollars ($7,000) will be required for these purposes in the coming year. To this must be added the undrawn balance of appropriations, which makes the estimate for this account seven thousand five hundred and seventy-five dollars ($7,575).

Bureau of Statistics.—The appropriation made at the session of 1885 for the support of this Bureau, was three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500), and there remained at the beginning of the year a credit balance of former appropriations amounting to three hundred and twenty-eight dollars and forty-four cents ($328.44), making the

total credit to this account for the year, three thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight dollars and forty-four cents ($3,828.44). The whole expenditure during the year was three thousand eight hundred and fifty-two dollars ($3,852), but a portion of this was for printing blanks, &c., and is not chargeable against the appropriation. The whole sum paid for account of the appropriation was three thousand six hundred and fifty-six dollars and ninety-seven cents ($3,656.97), and the credit balance at this date is one hundred and seventy-one dollars and forty-seven cents ($171.47). No information has been received from the Chief of the Bureau as to the requirements for the coming year, but if the appropriation of 1885 is repeated at the coming session, it will be necessary to provide for the purposes of this account the sum of three thousand six hundred and seventy-one dollars and forty-seven cents ($3,671.47).

Agriculture.—The disbursements for this account consist of the amounts paid as special premiums to exhibitors at the annual fairs of the State Agricultural Society and the traveling expenses of the officers and members of the State Board of Agriculture and of the Board of Visitors to the Agricultural College. These disbursements amounted, in the past year, to seven thousand five hundred dollars and ninety cents ($7,500.90). This shows a considerable increase as compared with the expenditures for this account in the preceding year, but this is not because of any great increase in the expenses, but is due to the fact that the account for special premiums of 1885 was presented for payment at an earlier date than usual, and was paid before the close of the fiscal year. The account for 1884 having been paid early in the year, the two payments fell within one year. The annual appropriation for special premiums is three thousand dollars ($3,000), and to pay this and meet the other expenditures required by law for this account, it is estimated that four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500) will be needed.

State Board of Health.—The expenditures during the year for purposes under the immediate care of the State Board of Health have been as follows:

For account of the annual appropriation for expenses of the Board.....	$3,683 20
For expenses involved in suppressing and preventing contagious diseases among animals.....	2,246 78
For collection and tabulation of vital statistics.....	3,138 19
Total.....	$9,068 17

The amount provided by law for the regular expenses of the Board is not to exceed four thousand dollars ($4,000), and provision is also made for the expenses connected with the prevention of contagious diseases, and for the collection of vital statistics. It is estimated that the sums which will be required for these several purposes in the coming year will be as follows:

For expenses of State Board of Health	$4,000 00
" Pleuro-pneumonia, etc.	2,0 0 00
" Vital Statistics	3,500 00
Total	$9,500 00

Labor Inspection.—The act passed at the session of 1884, providing for two Deputy Inspectors to assist the Inspector of Factories and Workshops in the performance of his duties, provided that the term of these Deputies should cease on the first of February, 1885. Since that date the only payments for this account have been for the salary of the Inspector and the expenses incurred by him and allowed by law. The disbursements during the year have been as follows:

For salaries of the Inspector and Deputies	$2,466 65
Expenses	614 29
Total	$3,0:0 94

In the absence of any legislation affecting this account, the estimated amount required for the coming year is three thousand dollars ($3,000).

Milk Inspection.—The law to prevent the adulteration of and to regulate the sale of milk provides for the payment of an annual salary to the State Inspector of Milk, for a per diem compensation to his deputies and assistants, and for the payment of certain expenses connected with the prosecution of offenders against the law. The expenditures for these purposes in the past year have amounted to two thousand six hundred and seventy-eight dollars and seventeen cents ($2,678.17).

The law provides that all fines collected for violation of the "Milk" act shall be paid to the State, and in the past year the Treasury has received from this source the sum of one thousand one hundred and six dollars and four cents ($1,106.04). This has been credited to the general revenue and does not enter into this account, but it, nevertheless, practically reduces the cost of enforcing the law to one thousand five hundred and seventy-two dollars and thirteen cents ($1,572.13).

It is estimated that for the payment of salaries and expenses in the coming year the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) will be required.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Riparian Commission.—The payments for salaries and expenses of this Commission in the past year have amounted to thirteen thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents ($13,937.50). The salaries of the four Commissioners are one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) each, and their expenses are allowed to an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars ($5,000) per annum. Heretofore the salaries have been drawn annually, about the middle of the fiscal year, but in the past year an additional half-year's salary, falling due before the close of the fiscal year, was paid, which accounts for the increased disbursement.

The usual estimate of eleven thousand dollars ($11,000) is presented.

Monmouth Battle Monument.—The contribution of the State toward the erection of the Battle Monument at Freehold was ten thousand dollars ($10,000), and at the date of my last report eight thousand dollars ($8,000) of this sum remained undrawn. During the past year further payments for account of this appropriation have been made amounting to five thousand five hundred dollars ($5,500), leaving two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) still subject to the draft of the Commissioners.

At the session of 1884 a joint resolution was adopted providing for a delegation consisting of the Governor, other State Officers and Members of the two branches of the Legislature to unite with the Monument Commission in taking measures for the proper ceremonies on the occasion of the unveiling of the monument. This resolution provided for the payment from the State Treasury of the necessary expenses, and in November, 1884, the unveiling took place with a fitting military parade and other suitable ceremonies. The cost of transportation, refreshments for the National Guard and invited guests, and other necessary expenses amounted to four thousand nine hundred and seventeen dollars and four cents ($4,917.04).

At the session of 1885 an act was passed providing for the proper care of the Monument and surrounding grounds, and directing the annual payment for this purpose from the State Treasury of the sum of three hundred dollars ($300). This sum, together with the undrawn balance of the appropriation, two thousand eight hundred dollars ($2,800) in all, will be required for the purposes of this account in the coming year.

Obsequies of General Grant.—Upon the death of General U. S. Grant, in July, 1885, the National Guard and the several organizations of the Grand Army of the Republic took part in the funeral ceremonies, and the bills for transportation and other expenses, amounting to ten thousand and ninety-eight dollars and thirty-nine cents ($10,098.39), were paid upon the approval of the Governor. There are some small bills of expenses still unpaid which it is estimated the sum of five hundred dollars ($500) will be required to meet.

New Orleans Exposition.—At the session of 1885 an act was passed to provide for the proper representation of this State at the New Orleans Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, and authorizing the payment of the necessary expenses upon the approval of the Governor and Comptroller, but providing that the total expenditure should not exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000).

Payments have been made during the year under this act to the amount of nine thousand nine hundred and eighty-five dollars and thirty-nine cents ($9,985.39).

The remaining balance of the appropriation will probably be required to pay further bills. This amounts to fourteen dollars and sixty-one cents ($14.61).

The further disbursements during the year for miscellaneous or unclassified purposes have been for expenses connected with taking the *Census* of 1885, for which there was expended the sum of three thousand nine hundred and thirty-three dollars and forty-one cents ($3,933.41); for *Insurance*, for which was expended the sum of one thousand one hundred and seventy-five dollars ($1,175) as premiums upon insurance policies issued upon the books in the State Library and in the different offices in the State House; for *Incidentals*, the sum of two thousand one hundred and thirty-nine dollars and eighty-four cents ($2,139.84), for freight, expressage and sundry small items of necessary expense, not strictly chargeable to any of the regular accounts; for *Interest*, one thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars ($1,750), being amount paid as interest on sums temporarily borrowed during the year; the annual appropriation of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) to the *Washington Headquarters, at Morristown, N. J.*; for *Wrecks*, six hundred and forty-five dollars and fifty-five cents ($645.55), consisting of the expense of removing temporary obstructions to navigation in the waters of the State, and of viewing and burying the bodies of persons cast upon our shores from wrecked vessels; and for *Sinking Fund Expenses*, five hundred and twenty-one dollars and eighty-one cents ($521.81), being legal expenses incurred

by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in their care of the property of the Fund.

At the session of 1885 an act was passed authorizing the Governor and Comptroller to cause to be erected on the battle-field of Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, suitable monuments to mark the position of the New Jersey regiments which took part in the memorable battle at that place. The act provided for the payment of the necessary expenses, not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500). This money has not yet been paid from the Treasury, but will doubtless be required in the coming year, as arrangements have been made with officers of the designated regiments to have the locations properly determined, and steps have been taken to secure a suitable design for the required monuments. It is probable that the whole amount of the appropriation will be required, and the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) is, therefore, presented as the estimate.

Another act of 1885 empowered a commission to select and suitably enclose a proper site for the burial of dead bodies cast on shore from shipwrecks within the boundaries of Ocean county, in this State, at an expense not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500). This appropriation has not yet been called for, but as it will no doubt be needed within the coming year, the sum of it is included in the estimates.

The estimates presented in connection with the several foregoing accounts are shown below in concise form:

ESTIMATES.

For Public Debt		$90,000 00
Charitable and Reformatory—		
For State Lunatic Asylums	$90,000 00	
" County Lunatic Asylums	40,000 00	
" Home for Disabled Soldiers	33,655 44	
" Reform School for Boys	47,000 00	
" Industrial School for Girls	8,000 00	
" Pensions	3,500 00	
" Charities and Corrections	1,000 00	
		223,155 44
Courts, Crimes, etc.—		
For Court Expenses	$120,000 00	
" State Prison Maintenance	70,000 00	
" State Prison Salaries	70,000 00	
" State Prison Repairs	10,000 00	
" Discharged Convicts	1,300 00	
" Balance of Appropriation for State Prison Shops	6,896 04	
" Requisitions	1,000 00	
" Law and Equity Reports	5,000 00	
" Legal Expenses	30,000 00	
		314,196 04

State Government—

For Legislature	$72,000 00	
" Salaries	38,000 00	
" Clerical Service	26,000 00	
" State House Expenses	25,000 00	
" State Board of Assessors	20,000 00	
" Stationery and Postage	7,500 00	
" State Library	1,501 38	
" State House Fire	10,000 00	
" Balance of Appropriation for State Capitol	48,028 80	
" Appropriation for Ventilation of Legislative Chambers	5,000 00	
		$253,030 18

Military—

For Annual Appropriations and other Military Expenses		85,000 00

Education—

For Maintenance and Tuition of Blind and Feeble-Minded Pupils		30,000 00

Publication—

For Printing and Binding	$40,000 00	
" Advertising	75,000 00	
" Preservation of Records	3,000 00	
		118,000 00

Scientific, Sanitary, etc.—

For Bounties on Sugar	$11,000 00	
" Agriculture	4,500 00	
" Agricultural Experiment Stations	12,506 73	
" Geological Survey	14,615 61	
" Fisheries	7,575 00	
" Bureau of Statistics	3,671 47	
" State Board of Health	4,000 00	
" Vital Statistics	3,500 00	
" Pleuro-Pneumonia	2,000 00	
" Labor Inspection	3,000 00	
" Milk Inspection	2,500 00	
		68,868 81

Miscellaneous—

For Riparian Commission	$11,000 00	
" Monmouth Battle Monument	2,800 00	
" New Orleans Exposition	14 61	
" Obsequies of General Grant	500 00	
" Gettysburg Monuments	2,500 00	
" Burial Ground for Shipwrecked Sailors	500 00	
" Washington Headquarters	2,500 00	
" Wrecks	1,500 00	
" Sinking Fund Expenses	600 00	
" Contingent and Incidental	25,834 92	
		47,749 53
		$1,230,000 00

The effort has been made in preparing the foregoing estimates to include all the disbursements which it is probable that the Treasury will be called upon to make in the coming year under laws now existing. Under our system the expenditures for nearly all of the departments and institutions of the State are not controlled by specific appropriations, but vary with the necessities of each case, and it is therefore impossible to make a table of estimates, within the confines of which it may be said with certainty that the public expense may be kept. But care has been taken to make allowance for the natural increase in the cost of administering justice in the courts, of supporting the several institutions of the State, and of the transaction of the yearly increasing volume of public business, and it may reasonably be expected that in the absence of any unforeseen emergency the expenditures of the coming year will not exceed the sum of the above estimates, unless further disbursements shall be authorized at the approaching session of the Legislature.

The only sum now at the control of the State applicable to the payment of these expenses is the balance now in the Treasury, which amounts to eighty-one thousand two hundred and sixty-six dollars and forty-six cents ($81,266.46), and the remainder must be supplied from the revenue of the year. This revenue is derived mainly from the tax on railroad and canal property and from the tax on miscellaneous corporations. These two sources have furnished in the past year about ninety per centum of the whole revenue proper to the year, and because of the legal contests before referred to a considerable portion of the taxes due from these corporations is still unpaid. The payment of a large part of this arrearage depends upon the decisions of the courts in the cases now before them, but for the purpose of estimating the receipts of the Treasury it is proper to assume that the sums made payable by law will be received.

The State Board of Assessors have not yet made their official return of the amount of tax assessed against railroad and canal corporations, the time fixed for such return being the first day of December, but it is known that the amount of tax assessed by them against such corporations is nine hundred and sixty-four thousand eight hundred and twenty-one dollars and sixty cents ($964,821.60). This will be subject to such alterations and revisions as the Board may make and certify to this office after hearing the appeals of such corporations as may be aggrieved by the original assessments, but these alterations will not be completed until after the Legislature shall have met, and if the reductions in the amount of tax levied are sufficient to affect legislative action they will be made the subject of a special

report. In the meantime the amount of the original levy furnishes the only basis for an estimate of the revenue to be derived from this source.

As has already been stated in connection with the tax on Miscellaneous Corporations, it may be expected that from the taxes levied for the coming year there will be collected within the year the sum of one hundred and ten thousand dollars ($110,000), and that twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) of the unpaid taxes of former years will also be collected, making the sum to be derived from this source one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars ($135,000).

The other sources of revenue are the proceeds of *Convict Labor*, which, owing to the loss of time occasioned by the change in the system under which the convicts are employed, and from other causes which have already been stated, cannot be expected to yield more than forty thousand dollars ($40,000); the *Railroad Stocks* held by the State, which yield an annual dividend of twenty-eight thousand eight hundred and seventy dollars ($28,870), and sundry minor sources, such as *Judicial Fees*, *Official Fees*, and other accounts, which yield, in the aggregate, about fifty thousand dollars ($50,000).

Subject to the reservations mentioned in connection with the tax on railroad and canal property, the resources of the State Fund for the coming year may be stated as follows:

Balance of tax payable in 1885 still due from contesting Railroad and Canal Companies	$154,968 55	
Balance due from non-contesting Railroad Companies	34,245 82	
Balance due from defaulting Railroad Companies	1,553 70	
		$190,768 07
Tax on Railroad and Canal Companies, payable in 1886		964,821 60
Amount to be received from Miscellaneous Corporations		135,000 00
From State Prison Receipts		40,000 00
" Dividends on Stocks		28,870 00
" Minor Sources		50,000 00
		$1,409,459 67
Balance on hand October 31st, 1885		81,266 46
Total resources for the year		$1,490,726 13

Should the foregoing estimates of receipts and expenditures prove correct, it is apparent that the revenue of the State for the year will exceed the necessary expenses in the sum of two hundred and sixty thousand seven hundred and twenty-six dollars and thirteen cents ($260,726.13).

Application will be made to the Legislature for appropriations to complete the State Capitol buildings, to increase the accommodations

and improve the sanitary arrangements of the State Prison, and doubtless for other proper and worthy objects, and the ability of the State to grant these applications, and to meet the necessary expenses of the year, will depend largely upon the disposal made by the Supreme Court of the questions affecting the taxation of railroads. Should their decision be adverse to the State, it will be necessary for the Legislature to give immediate consideration to the business of providing a public revenue; should their decision be favorable to the State, your labors will be lightened, and the Treasury will, during the coming year, enjoy a season of reasonable prosperity.

CONDITION AND TRANSACTIONS OF THE SCHOOL FUND.

The securities of the *School Fund* (including riparian leases), the real estate held as the property of the Fund, and the cash balance now on hand, amount in the aggregate to three millions six hundred and forty-two thousand six hundred and seventy-one dollars and eighty-two cents ($3,642,671.82), and there were balances of interest on bonds and mortgages and rentals on riparian leases unpaid at the close of the year amounting to one hundred and seventy-nine thousand three hundred and twelve dollars and sixty-two cents ($179,312.62).

The cash balance on hand at the beginning of the year was two hundred and eighty-six thousand nine hundred and fourteen dollars and eleven cents ($286,914.11), and the receipts from all sources have amounted to four hundred and thirty-two thousand five hundred and seventy-one dollars and fifty-six cents ($432,571.56). The disbursements for all purposes during the year, including the sums invested, have amounted to five hundred and seventy-five thousand three hundred and seventy-five dollars and seventy-four cents ($575,375.74), leaving a balance now on hand of one hundred and forty-four thousand one hundred and nine dollars and ninety-three cents ($144,109.93).

The income or revenue of the Fund during the year has been from interest and dividends upon the securities, from rentals of riparian leases and from grants of lands under water. This has been as follows:

From Interest, Dividends and Rentals	$186,917 62
" Grants of Riparian Lands	6,178 69
Total Income	$193,096 31

The additional receipts during the year have been from the extinguishment of investments or securities, as follows:

From Principal of Loans paid off	$25,000 00
" Riparian Leases extinguished and converted into grants by payment of capital sum	214,475 25
Total	$239,475 25

The disbursements for purposes of investment were:

Invested in U. S. Bonds	$350,000 00
Premiums and Commissions on U. S. Bonds	78,312 50
Invested in New Jersey State Bonds	1,000 00
Premium on " "	270 00
Total	$429,582 50

The amounts derived from each class of investments, and the transactions of the Fund for the year, are concisely shown by the following statement:

RECEIPTS.

From Interest on the following Bonds—

Of the United States		$27,725 00	
" " C. & A. R. R. & Tr. Co		1,020 00	
" " State of New Jersey		4,320 00	
" " N. J. R. R. & Tr. Co		6,000 00	
" Sundry School Districts		5,460 60	
Total		$44,525 60	
From Dividends on the following Stocks—			
Of the Trenton Banking Co	$880 00		
" " C. & A. R. R. & Tr. Co	3,550 00		
		4,430 00	
From Interest on Bonds and Mortgages		45,905 35	
" Rentals of Riparian Leases		90,051 02	
" Grants of Riparian Lands		6,178 69	
" Rents of Real Estate		2,005 65	
			$193,096 31
From Securities Extinguished during the Year, as follows—			
From Loans paid off		$25,000 00	
" Riparian Leases extinguished by payment of capital sum		214,475 25	
			239,475 25
Balance on hand October 31st, 1884			286,914 11
			$719,485 67

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount invested	$351,000 00		
Premiums and Commissions paid on $350,000 United States Bonds	78,312 50		
Premiums and Commissions paid on $1,000 New Jersey Bonds	27,000 00		
		$129,582 50	
Appropriation to Public Schools	$100,000 00		
New Jersey School for Deaf-Mutes	24,570 00		
Free School Libraries	1,240 00		
Normal School	8,587 70		
Newark Technical School	5,000 00		
State Board of Education	303 95		
State Superintendent's Office	4,115 39		
School Fund Expenses	776 20		
Farnum Preparatory School	1,200 00		
		145,793 21	
			$575,375 74
Balance on hand October 31st, 1885			$144,109 93

The income of this Fund is subject to an annual charge of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000), which is appropriated to the free public schools of the State, and is distributed to the several counties under an apportionment, made by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, based upon the number of school children in each county. At the last session the Legislature passed an act authorizing the payment from the income of this Fund of certain other expenses connected with free public education which had theretofore been paid from the general revenue of the State. A portion of these payments for the year had already been made from the State Fund, but, on the passage of act referred to, the accounts were transferred and the disbursements have since been made from the income of the School Fund.

The *New Jersey School for Deaf-Mutes* is entitled to receive for the tuition and maintenance of pupils a sum equal to seventy dollars ($70) per quarter for each pupil, and at the last session an act was passed appropriating five thousand dollars ($5,000) for needed repairs to the buildings and furniture, and the purchase of furniture and school appliances. The disbursements in the past fiscal year under these acts were:

For Maintenance	$29,707 33
" Account of appropriation for repairs, &c	2,500 00
Total	$32,207 33

Of this amount the sum of seven thousand six hundred and thirty-seven dollars and thirty-three cents ($7,637.33) was paid from the State Fund, and the remainder from the income of the School Fund.

For *Free School Libraries* the whole expenditure amounted to two thousand and forty dollars ($2,040), of which sum the State Fund paid eight hundred dollars ($800), and the School Fund one thousand two hundred and forty dollars ($1,240).

For the support of the *Normal School* the annual appropriation is twenty thousand dollars ($20,000), and the law also requires the payment of the expenses necessarily incurred in the repair and care of the Normal and Model School buildings and grounds. The disbursements for these purposes in the past year have been as follows:

Amount of annual appropriation	$20,000 00
" expended for repairs	1,390 30
Total	$21,390 30

The State Fund paid twelve thousand five hundred dollars ($12,500) of this sum, and the remainder was paid from the income of the School Fund.

The *Miscellaneous Expenses* include the salaries of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction and his assistant and the expenses of his office, together with the traveling expenses of the members of the State Board of Education. These amounted in the past year to six thousand six hundred and eighty-two dollars and ninety-one cents ($6,682.91), of which sum the State Fund paid two thousand two hundred and sixty-three dollars and fifty-seven cents ($2,263.57), and the income of the School Fund paid the remainder.

The following condensed statement shows the changes which have been effected in the securities and investments of the Fund within the past year:

Amount of securities held by the School Fund, October 31st, 1884		$3,381,164 47
Deduct amount of loans on bond and mortgage extinguished by payment of principal	$19,100 00	
Deduct amount of school district bonds paid	5,900 00	
Deduct amount of riparian leases converted into grants by payment of principal	214,475 25	
		239,475 25
		$3,141,689 22

Add investments as follows:

Amount of United States bonds purchased	$350,000 00	
" of New Jersey bonds purchased	1,000 00	
	$351,000 00	
Capital sum of riparian leases effected during the year	5,872 67	
		$356,872 67
Total amount of securities		$3,498,561 89
Increase		115,645 42

The securities, investments and property of the School Fund at the present time are as follows:

Stock and Bonds—

355 shares of joint stock of the D. & R. C. and C. & A. R. R. & Tr. Co., par value $100, dividend paid by the Penna. R. R., 10 per cent	$35,500 00
220 shares Trenton Banking Company's stock, par value $50	11,000 00
	$46,500 00
Five U. S. registered bonds, $20,000 each, 4½ per cents	$100,000 00
" " " " 10,000 " 4½ "	50,000 00
One " " " 5,000 4½ "	5,000 00
Five " " " 10,000 " 4 "	50,000 00
Two " " " 50,000 " 4 "	100,000 00
Five " " " 50,000 " 4½ "	250,000 00
Seven " " " 50,000 " 4 "	350,000 00
	$905,000 00
One bond of New Jersey R. R. & Tr. Co., 6 per cent	$100,000 00
Seventeen bonds of D. & R. C. and C. & A. R. R. & Tr. Co, $1,000 each,	17,000 00
	$117,000 00
Fifty bonds of State of New Jersey, $1,000 each, registered, 6 per cent	$50,000 00
Two " " " 5,000 " " "	10,000 00
One " " " " " "	9,000 00
Two " " " 1,000 " coupon, "	2,000 00
One " " " registered, "	1,000 00
	$72,000 00

Bonds of the following New Jersey School Districts—

No. 47. Atlantic county	$2,000 00
Borough of Caldwell	3,000 00
No. 38. Essex county	8,000 00
Nos. 3 and 4. Farmingdale	2,000 00
No. 90½. Monmouth county	6,000 00
No. 1. New Brunswick	17,000 00
No. 10. North Plainfield	1,000 00

No. 48. Warren county	$8,000 00
No. 35. Middlesex county	500 00
No. 9. Essex county	1,800 00
No. 85. Long Branch	6,000 00
No. 12. Essex county	4,000 00
No. 9. Morris county	1,000 00
No. 29. Cape May county	6,000 00
No. 42. Essex county	1,020 00
No. 10. Essex county	8,000 00
No. 20. Mercer county	7,500 00
	$82,820 00

BONDS AND MORTGAGES—SIX PER CENT.

	Location of Mortgaged Property. COUNTY.	Amount of Mortgage.
Allison, Thomas S	Mercer	$2,500 00
Babcock, John F. and Gertrude A	Middlesex	2,400 00
Bartlett, Jarvis H	Burlington	3,000 00
Beardslee, Edward S	Sussex	2,500 00
Beardslee, Edward S	Sussex	1,000 00
Beardslee, Edward S	Sussex	1,500 00
Beckwith, C. D. and others	Passaic	15,000 00
Bedle, Elihu D	Monmouth	1,000 00
Benjamin, William A	Mercer	1,800 00
Bowker, Jonathan	Mercer	7,000 00
Bodine, D. B. and Wm. Bullus	Mercer	8,000 00
Campbell, Charles A	Middlesex	8,000 00
Carslake, David M	Burlington	2,000 00
Castner, Victor	Warren	10,000 00
Chew, Sinnickson	Camden	20,000 00
Clark, Amos, Jr	Union	7,000 00
Combs, Gilbert	Monmouth	2,000 00
Combs, Joseph	Monmouth	11,000 00
Conover, Alfred L	Monmouth	2,000 00
Conover, Charles H	Monmouth	15,000 00
Conover, William A	Warren	10,000 00
Cook & Leigh	Mercer	14,000 00
Cook & Skirm	Mercer	3,000 00
Corwine, William B	Monmouth	3,000 00
Dally, Charles M	Middlesex	9,000 00
Davis, Isaac	Mercer	25,000 00
Davis, James M	Mercer	6,000 00
Denise, William T	Monmouth	11,000 00
Depue, Benjamin F	Sussex	3,500 00
Dickinson, S. M	Mercer	5,000 00
Dippolt, Charles	Mercer	10,000 00
Dobbins Joseph B	Mercer	4,000 00
Dolton, William	Mercer	6,000 00
Donaldson, James	Middlesex	10,000 00

	COUNTY.	AMOUNT.
Ellison, Benjamin	Middlesex	$6,000 00
Etruria Pottery Co	Mercer	20,000 00
Fay, Julius A	Union	8,000 00
Fort, A. H	Burlington	13,000 00
Grant & Whitaker	Mercer	2,000 00
Gummere, Barker	Mercer	5,500 00
Haight, Charles	Monmouth	10,000 00
Hall, Alfred and others	Middlesex	18,000 00
Hall, Joseph D	Mercer	6,000 00
Hendrickson & Combs	Monmouth	7,000 00
Hendrickson, Edward T	Monmouth	4,000 00
Hendrickson, Ellis	Monmouth	500 00
Hendrickson, William B	Monmouth	3,000 00
Hill, Theodore W	Mercer	6,000 00
Hoagland, Nathan	Camden	10,000 00
Hood, John	Camden	5,000 00
Howe, Harriet S	Mercer	1,500 00
Howlett, Thomas R	Mercer	3,000 00
Hummer, Henry G	Somerset	5,000 00
Johnson, Josiah F	Mercer	8,750 00
Johnston, Mary F. and Emeline R	Mercer	2,200 00
Johnston, Robert S	Monmouth	7,000 00
Jones Samuel W	Monmouth	8,000 00
Keeler, Charles	Mercer	4,000 00
Knapp, S. F. R. and W. T	Hudson	5,000 00
Koeble, Joseph	Hudson	1,725 00
Kugler, Jacob	Mercer	1,200 00
Lalor, Jeremiah	Mercer	3,000 00
Law, Joseph	Union	2,000 00
Lewis, Lucy	Mercer	7,000 00
Lyon, John H	Somerset	8,000 00
Lyon, John H	Somerset	7,000 00
Manning, James C	Mercer	6,000 00
Marlatt, Benjamin	Mercer	4,000 00
Marshall, Laura C	Mercer	7,500 00
McCarter, John	Sussex	12,500 00
McClurg, Peter K	Mercer	3,000 00
Miller, Samuel	Burlington	2,500 00
Montgomery, A. R	Mercer	10,000 00
Murphy, John L	Mercer	18,000 00
Naar, A. D'A	Union	3,500 00
Neilson, Theo. G	Middlesex	8,000 00
Newell, William A	Monmouth	4,000 00
Norton, Daniel D	Monmouth	8,000 00
Otterson, Henry L	Monmouth	5,000 00
Owens, William J	Mercer	10,500 00
Patterson, Austin H	Monmouth	3,000 00
Patterson, Charles W	Monmouth	1,600 00

	COUNTY.	AMOUNT.
Perrine, Lewis	Mercer	$3,000 00
Price, Francis	Hudson	5,000 00
Reckless, Anthony	Monmouth	6,000 00
Reynolds, Charles T. and others	Hudson	10,000 00
Richardson, Joseph B	Mercer	12,000 00
Robeson, William P	Warren	5,000 00
Saunders, Charles W	Middlesex	7,000 00
St. Peter's Catholic Church, New Brunswick	Middlesex	55,000 00
St. Peter's Catholic Church, Riverside	Burlington	8,000 00
Schenck, Garret C	Monmouth	8,000 00
Schenck, Garret C	Monmouth	6,000 00
Schwartz, John G	Somerset	4,000 00
Scott, Charles	Mercer	4,000 00
Second Presbyterian Church, New Brunswick	Middlesex	3,000 00
Sergent, L. H., Trustee for A. Cray	Hunterdon	5,000 00
Shreve, E. Mercer	Mercer	15,000 00
Smalley, Abraham	Middlesex	8,500 00
Smalley, Isaac	Middlesex	2,700 00
Smith, Sarah B	Mercer	2,000 00
Smock D. G. and J. H	Monmouth	7,500 00
Smock, Milton	Monmouth	8,000 00
Smyth, George W	Mercer	2,400 00
Stelle, Peter J	Middlesex	11,000 00
Stiles, William	Union	4,000 00
Stockton, Bayard and others	Mercer	23,000 00
Stoll, Robert P	Mercer	8,000 00
Sutterly, Charles W	Ocean	14,000 00
Sweeney, Michael	Mercer	2,600 00
Tappan, Luther J	Middlesex	4,500 00
Taylor, William J. C	Monmouth	12,000 00
Thompson, Joseph J	Monmouth	10,000 00
Traudt, Frederick A	Essex	20,000 00
Trimble, Mary J	Essex	6,500 00
Valentine, Robert N	Middlesex	6,000 00
Vanderveer, John E	Monmouth	2,500 00
Van Wickle Simon	Somerset	10,000 00
Vroom, G. D. W	Mercer	5,000 00
Watson, John	Passaic	20,000 00
Weidner, William N	Mercer	4,000 00
Wells, James E	Monmouth	4,000 00
West Jersey Marl and Trans. Co	Gloucester	7,000 00
Whitehead Brothers	Mercer	25,000 00
Wikoff & Bergen	Mercer	3,000 00
Willis, William	Mercer	1,500 00
Wilson, Hercules M	Essex	6,650 00
Wilson, Thomas A	Camden	20,000 00
Yard, Alexander A	Monmouth	2,000 00
		$967,025 00

RIPARIAN LEASES—SEVEN PER CENT.

	COUNTY.	PRINCIPAL SUM.
Adams, George S	Monmouth	$350 92
Anderson, Henry James	Bergen	2,113 33
Annett, Heirs of Robert	Bergen	7,860 00
Annett, Heirs of Robert	Bergen	10,825 00
Atkins, James M	Monmouth	155 00
Barrett, Catharine	Burlington	425 00
Barton, Charles	Atlantic	488 50
Berkeley Land and Improvement Co	Ocean	2,974 00
Bate, John C	Cape May	159 78
Binns, James	Hudson	3,428 57
Blair, John A	Hudson	6,784 00
Borne, John E	Union	840 94
Brady, James	Hudson	400 00
Brown, John M	Monmouth	213 50
Brownell, John L	Bergen	22,314 00
Brownell, John L	Bergen	7,210 00
Bullitt, John C. and others	Cape May	2,150 00
Bulkley, Lucius Duncan	Monmouth	156 25
Camden and Atlantic Railroad Co	Camden	1,735 00
Coe, George S	Bergen	1,076 67
Coffin, Edward H	Bergen	2,349 70
Cone, Jonathan	Cape May	272 40
Coykendale, A. A	Hudson	28,120 00
Crosby, Mary M	Monmouth	90 00
Cumberland and Maurice River R. R. Co	Cumberland	1,090 00
Daly, Myrtilla H	Hudson	3,984 85
Dana, William B	Bergen	640 00
Dederer, Martha M	Monmouth	152 70
Delano, Tracy and others	Hudson	8,785 71
Delaware and Hudson Canal Co	Hudson	52,500 00
Dobbins, Murrell	Burlington	776 50
Dodge, William E	Hudson	13,000 00
Duer Sarah G	Hudson	17,690 50
Dulty, William, Jr	Burlington	685 71
Dunn, Mary A	Monmouth	43 50
East Cape May Beach Co	Cape May	2,000 00
Englewood Dock and T. Co	Bergen	330 00
Fitzgerald, Wilson	Gloucester	2,000 00
Gaynor, John	Salem	314 39
Geyer, Ann C	Ocean	75 75
Gorham & Dickerman	Bergen	7,825 00
Gunther, Charles B. and others	Hudson	5,000 00
Harvey, Edward J	Monmouth	78 00
Hand, John Holmes	Cape May	143 63
Hansen, Joseph G	Hudson	700 00
Hare, Nathaniel D	Hudson	664 50

	COUNTY.	PRINCIPAL SUM.
Hildreth, David M.	Monmouth	$3,943 50
Holly Beach City Improvement Co.	Cape May	1,175 00
Jewett, Hugh J. (Trustee)	Hudson	103,191 50
Kemp, William H.	Bergen	3,148 50
Kennedy, Cramond	Bergen	664 50
King, Archibald Gracie	Hudson	17,690 50
King, Caroline	Hudson	17,690 50
King, Edward	Hudson	17,781 00
Kohler, Otto	Hudson	5,355 00
Legier, Adele H.	Camden	339 00
Long Branch Ocean Pier Co.	Monmouth	598 00
Lewis, Mary P.	Hudson	25,000 00
Loyd, Richard	Burlington	330 00
Lyle, J. S. & M. A. and E. P. Newcome	Bergen	13,425 00
Manufacturing Land and Imp. Co.	Camden	12,000 00
Manufacturing Land and Imp. Co.	Camden	5,500 00
Martin, Isaac P.	Hudson	3,125 00
Maxwell, Gifford J.	Camden	1,000 00
Meeks, John	Hudson	56,250 00
Meredith, Sarah E.	Union	3,538 33
Miller, Seth	Cape May	87 75
Moore, Lillian C.	Monmouth	109 35
Morris Canal and Banking Co.	Hudson	357,142 86
Morris and Cumming Dredging Co.	Hudson	60,480 00
Morris and Cumming Dredging Co.	Hudson	12,690 00
Morris and Essex Railroad Co.	Hudson	76,900 00
Mulford, Isaac W.	Cumberland	284 78
Mutual Life Ins. Co. of N. Y.	Monmouth	531 00
National Stock Yard Co.	Hudson	35,000 00
New Brunswick Land Co.	Ocean	1,800 00
New York, Lake Erie and Western Dock and Improvement Co.	Hudson	24,722 00
Norberry, Heath	Cape May	138 60
North Jersey Land Co.	Passaic	514 29
Ocean Beach Association	Monmouth	4,725 00
Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association	Monmouth	1,000 00
Oigg, Henry and wife	Burlington	925 00
Osborne, Charles	Monmouth	416 25
Pardee, Ario	Hudson	750 00
Paton, Emily M.	Monmouth	68 75
Peabody, Charlotte A.	Monmouth	120 00
Phelps, William Walter	Bergen	1,735 00
Phelps, William Walter	Bergen	1,800 00
Phelps, William Walter	Bergen	1,460 00
Phelps & Coe	Bergen	2,060 00
Pierce, George W.	Ocean	60 43
Pierce, Ashley B.	Ocean	60 43
Pierce, Joanna	Ocean	44 59

	COUNTY.	PRINCIPAL SUM.
Point Breeze Ferry and Imp. Co.	Hudson	$18,000 00
Point Breeze Ferry and Imp. Co.	Hudson	12,550 00
Rankin, George	Monmouth	157 00
Reckless, Anthony	Monmouth	2,036 00
Reeder, Charles	Burlington	750 00
Reeves, C. B.	Cape May	237 60
Riley, Mary F. and others	Burlington	1,771 50
Ross, Evaline B.	Cape May	43 80
Seacaucus Iron Co.	Hudson	500 00
Sea Grove Association	Cape May	1,600 00
Sea Shore Land Co.	Ocean	3,500 00
Seidler, Charles	Hudson	1,922 00
Scheible, Sarah E.	Monmouth	91 75
Schellinger, James H.	Cape May	200 25
Shaw, Mary C.	Ocean	60 43
Simpson, R. A.	Cape May	1,822 50
Smith, Hannah K. and others	Camden	854 00
Staken, Maria	Monmouth	812 50
Stevens, Martha B.	Hudson	50,000 00
Swanton, William	Monmouth	800 00
Taylor, Noah D.	Hudson	7,275 00
Thompson, Angeline	Burlington	750 00
Thompson, Joseph I.	Monmouth	359 55
Tubular Transit Co.	Union	500 00
Twombly, Hamilton M'K.	Bergen	6,000 00
Twombly, Hamilton M'K.	Bergen	5,000 00
Tyson, Washington L.	Monmouth	1,200 00
Van Sant, Joseph L.	Burlington	1,800 00
Van Sant, Joseph L. and others	Burlington	928 50
Van Sant, Joseph L. and others	Burlington	100 00
Ward, Charles H. (Trustee)	Monmouth	575 00
Wetmore, Dana & Phelps	Bergen	3,000 00
Wetmore & Phelps	Bergen	1,550 00
Wild, Annie E.	Monmouth	110 30
Whilden, Jane G.	Cape May	500 00
Whitehead, M. E.	Middlesex	400 00
Yard, Joseph B. and William S.	Monmouth	114 00
		$1,226,216 89

Real estate bought in under foreclosure proceedings, and now the property of the Fund:

	LOCATION.	AMOUNT OF ORIGINAL LOAN.
Anderson, John	Sussex county	$9,000 00
Clark, Amos, Jr.	Union county	5,000 00
Clark, Amos, Jr.	Union county	15,000 00
Hunt, Joseph F.	Sussex county	3,500 00

	LOCATION.	AMOUNT.
Howell, Robert H.	Sussex county	$10,000 00
Perrine, James M.	Monmouth county	3,500 00
Runyon, Albert L.	Middlesex county	13,000 00
Sinclair, M. A. and D. S.	Hudson county	15,000 00
Van Houten, Jacob G.	Bergen county	8,000 00
		$82,000 00

RECAPITULATION.

Railroad and bank stock	$46,500 00	
United States bonds	905,000 00	
Railroad bonds	117,000 00	
State bonds	72,000 00	
Bonds of school districts	82,820 00	
Bonds and mortgages	967,025 00	
Principal of riparian leases	1,226,216 89	
Real estate	82,000 00	
		$3,498,561 89

To this should be added—

Interest due on bonds and mortgages	$72,869 88	
Rents due on riparian leases	106,442 74	
Balance on hand	144,109 93	
		323,422 55
Total property of the fund October 31st, 1885		$3,821,984 44

STATE SCHOOL TAX.

The amount of general tax levied in the year 1884 and paid into the State Treasury in the fiscal year which has just closed, was one million three hundred and ninety-six thousand nine hundred and sixty-eight dollars ($1,396,968). This tax is computed at the rate of four dollars ($4) for each child of lawful school age, as shown by the next preceding school census, and is assessed upon the several counties on the basis of taxable property in each, as shown by the abstracts of ratable as filed with the Comptroller in the preceding year. The tax is payable on or before the first day of January, and ninety *per centum* of the amount paid in by each county is immediately repaid to such county to be used for school purposes. The remaining ten *per centum* is held as a Reserve Fund, and is apportioned to the several counties by the State Board of Education. The amount of taxable property upon which tax of 1884 was levied, was

five hundred and forty-eight million four hundred and ninety-five thousand and sixty-nine dollars ($548,495,069), and the rate of tax was .002546, or a fraction over two and one-half mills on each dollar.

The amount of property taxable in each county, and the amount of tax assessed against each, are shown by the following table:

COUNTIES.	VALUATION OF 1883.	SCHOOL TAX FOR 1884.
Atlantic	$4,884,582 00	$12,440 59
Bergen	15,613,025 00	39,764 98
Burlington	25,397,292 00	64,684 64
Camden	19,538,749 00	49,763 45
Cape May	4,011,000 00	10,215 66
Cumberland	12,551,000 00	31,966 28
Essex	114,075,000 00	290,538 85
Gloucester	14,209,282 00	36,189 77
Hudson	97,136,659 00	247,398 40
Hunterdon	21,224,136 00	54,055 98
Mercer	31,207,576 00	79,482 91
Middlesex	18,548,000 00	47,240 10
Monmouth	30,891,000 00	78,676 62
Morris	20,776,162 00	52,915 03
Ocean	3,914,581 00	9,970 09
Passaic	30,159,080 00	76,812 49
Salem	13,891,450 00	35,380 28
Somerset	16,620,000 00	42,329 66
Sussex	10,301,900 00	26,238 02
Union	24,537,550 00	62,494 95
Warren	19,007,045 00	48,409 25
Total	$548,495,069 00	$1,396,968 00

The apportionment of the Reserve Fund of ten *per centum*, as made by the State Board of Education, was as follows:

Atlantic	$9,469 06
Bergen	3,976 50
Burlington	5,068 46
Camden	12,056 35
Cape May	1,546 57
Cumberland	9,796 63
Essex	.....
Gloucester	1,569 55
Hudson	28,739 84
Hunterdon	559 40
Mercer	2,012 18
Middlesex	12,724 01
Monmouth	7,536 41
Morris	6,941 50

Ocean	$9,097 01
Passaic	10,006 25
Salem	727 87
Somerset	.....
Sussex	6,778 80
Union	6,249 49
Warren	4,840 92
Total	$139,696 80

The sums apportioned to the several counties were paid immediately after all the tax had been paid in, and the following list shows the counties in which the amount paid into the Fund exceeds the amount apportioned and distributed to them:

Burlington	$1,400 00
Essex	29,053 88
Gloucester	2,049 43
Hunterdon	4,846 20
Mercer	5,936 11
Monmouth	331 25
Salem	2,810 16
Somerset	4,232 97
	$50,660 00

Ten counties received a greater sum through the apportionment of the Reserve Fund than they had paid in the form of tax, the names of the counties and the amount of such excess, in each case, being as follows:

Atlantic	$8,225 00
Camden	7,080 00
Cape May	525 00
Cumberland	6,600 00
Hudson	4,000 00
Middlesex	8,000 00
Morris	1,650 00
Ocean	8,100 00
Passaic	2,325 00
Sussex	4,155 00
Total	$50,660 00

TAX FOR 1885.

The tax for the year 1885 was apportioned to the several counties in March, 1885, and is payable into the State Treasury on or before January 1st, 1886. The number of school children upon which this

tax was based, was three hundred and fifty-six thousand and sixty-one ($356,061), and the tax amounted to one million four hundred and twenty-four thousand two hundred and forty-four dollars ($1,424,244).

The taxable property upon which this tax was levied amounted to five hundred and fifty-four million eight hundred and twenty-eight thousand one hundred and fourteen dollars and thirty-four cents ($554,828,114.34). The increase in the number of school children caused an increase in the amount of the tax, as compared with the preceding year, of twenty-seven thousand two hundred and seventy-six dollars ($27,276), but owing to a corresponding increase in the amount of taxable property, the rate was but very little higher than in the preceding year, being .002567 in 1885 and .002546 in 1884.

The following table shows the amount of the tax of 1885 payable, and the amount of property on which the tax was levied in each county:

COUNTIES.	VALUATION OF 1884.	SCHOOL TAX FOR 1885.
Atlantic	$4,990,167 00	$12,809 76
Bergen	15,417,060 00	39,575 60
Burlington	25,277,749 00	64,887 99
Camden	21,946,003 00	56,335 40
Cape May	3,443,111 00	8,838 47
Cumberland	12,403,000 00	31,838 51
Essex	115,854,000 00	297,397 27
Gloucester	14,333,259 00	36,793 48
Hudson	99,236,540 34	254,740 24
Hunterdon	20,895,780 00	53,639 48
Mercer	31,832,849 00	81,714 94
Middlesex	18,710,000 00	48,028 58
Monmouth	31,334,000 00	80,434 39
Morris	20,432,783 00	52,450 94
Ocean	4,338,214 00	11,136 20
Passaic	30,127,482 00	77,337 26
Salem	13,971,161 00	35,863 98
Somerset	16,291,000 00	41,819 00
Sussex	10,055,017 00	25,811 23
Union	24,674,100 00	63,338 43
Warren	19,264,839 00	49,452 85
Total	$554,828,114 34	$1,424,244 00

The Reserve Fund, consisting of ten *per centum* of the whole amount of the tax, was apportioned among the several counties by the State Board of Education, as follows, and will be paid to them, as apportioned, as soon as the whole tax shall have been paid:

Atlantic	$9,230 98
Bergen	3,957 56
Burlington	6,488 80
Camden	7,833 54
Cape May	2,658 85
Cumberland	8,883 85
Essex	6,239 73
Gloucester	2,506 25
Hudson	28,674 02
Hunterdon	863 95
Mercer	7,171 49
Middlesex	9,502 86
Monmouth	8,043 44
Morris	5,245 09
Ocean	8,213 62
Passaic	7,733 73
Salem	916 40
Somerset	.....
Sussex	6,981 12
Union	6,333 84
Warren	4,945 28
Total	$142,424 40

Seven counties, namely, Bergen, Burlington, Monmouth, Morris, Passaic, Union and Warren, will receive from the Reserve Fund the same amounts which they will respectively be required to contribute to it; and, therefore, the whole sum of the tax paid by these counties will be returned to them.

The counties in which the amount of tax to be raised exceeds the amount which they will receive in the distribution, and the amount of such excess, in each case, are shown below:

Essex	$23,500 00
Gloucester	1,173 10
Hunterdon	4,500 00
Mercer	1,000 00
Salem	2,670 00
Somerset	4,181 90
	$37,025 00

The sums thus drawn from the above-named counties were apportioned to others, which, by this operation, will receive from the proceeds of the tax a greater amount respectively than they will be obliged to pay. These counties, and the amount by which each will be benefited, are shown below:

Atlantic	$7,950 00
Camden	2,200 00
Cape May	1,775 00
Cumberland	5,700 00
Hudson	3,200 00
Middlesex	4,700 00
Ocean	7,100 00
Sussex	4,400 00
Total	$37,025 00

The payments of the ninety *per centum* of tax, as well as of the sums apportioned to the several counties from the Reserve Fund, are made upon warrants of the Comptroller, based upon orders drawn by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction in favor of the respective county collectors.

The payment of the ninety *per centum* is made to each county upon receipt of the amount of tax for which it is liable, but the distribution of the Reserve Fund is necessarily postponed until all the counties have paid their tax, and it sometimes happens that through the delay of one or two counties in making payment, all the other counties are inconvenienced by the delay in making distribution of the Reserve Fund. No serious trouble has yet arisen from this cause, but should one of the counties which contribute to the Reserve Fund make entire default in the payment of its tax, all the other counties would suffer. This should be rendered impossible by appropriate legislation, and in view of the delay which would necessarily attend the enforced collection of tax from a delinquent county, the best plan would probably be to authorize the State Board of Education, in such case, to make a new apportionment of the Reserve Fund.

LOCAL TAX ON RAILROAD AND CANAL PROPERTY.

The "Act for the taxation of railroad and canal property," approved April 10th, 1884, made it the duty of the State Board of Assessors to ascertain in each year the value of the property of each railroad and canal corporation (other than the main stem or waterway) used for railway or canal purposes in each taxing district of the State, and provided that, in addition to the tax of one-half of one *per centum* to be paid for the use of the State, there should be paid into the State Treasury a tax "at the local rate as fixed and assessed for county and municipal purposes upon other property in each tax-

ing district," not to exceed one *per centum* of the valuation of such property. The act further provides that this tax "shall be allotted to the various taxing districts, giving to each district the amount that was derived from the property of each railroad or canal company therein; the Comptroller shall transmit to the Collector of each county a certificate showing the amounts allotted to the taxing districts therein, and shall draw his warrants upon the State Treasury in favor of the several County Collectors for the amounts allotted to their several counties."

The amount of property valued by the State Board of Assessors in the year 1884, under this provision of the law, was thirty-six million seven hundred and sixty-seven thousand two hundred and twenty-eight dollars and fifty-seven cents ($36,767,228.57), and the amount of tax levied thereon was three hundred and twenty-one thousand four hundred and eighty-one dollars and ninety-nine cents ($321,481.99).

The following statement shows the corporations upon whose property this tax was assessed and the amount payable by each corporation:

Anglesea Railroad	$2 60
Belvidere Delaware Railroad	3,923 92
Bergen County Railroad	286 23
Camden and Atlantic Railroad	1,677 28
Camden and Burlington County Railroad	447 33
Camden, Gloucester and Mt. Ephraim Railroad	14 00
Cape May and Sewell's Point Railroad	5 75
Central Railroad of New Jersey	78,056 56
Charlotteburgh and Green Lake Railroad	25 88
Chester Railroad	40 11
Columbus, Kinkora and Springfield Railroad	20 76
Constables Hook Railroad	20 57
Cumberland and Maurice River Railroad	19 80
Delaware Bay and Cape May Railroad	22 75
Delaware and Bound Brook Railroad	1,168 40
Delaware River Railroad	22 55
Dover and Rockaway Railroad	87 54
Easton and Amboy Railroad	9,924 84
Ferro Monte Railroad	36 86
Flemington Railroad and Transportation Company	16 38
Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad	185 71
Freehold and New York Railway	166 34
Hackensack Railroad	52 35
Hibernia Mine Railroad	140 64
Hibernia Underground Railroad	13 85
High Bridge Railroad	838 65

Island Heights Railroad	$7 20
Jersey City and Bergen Railroad	1,184 38
Lake Hopatcong Railroad	3 52
Lehigh and Hudson River Railroad	171 19
Lehigh Valley Railroad (lessee)	385 44
Lodi Branch Railroad	1 78
Long Branch and Sea Shore Railroad	793 89
Long Dock Company	39,240 25
Longwood Valley Railroad	50 68
Manufacturers' Railroad	831 64
Mays Landing and Egg Harbor City Railroad	3 00
Millstone and New Brunswick Railroad	34 95
Monmouth Park Railroad	12 75
Morris Canal and Banking Company	18,348 08
Morris and Essex Railroad	66,115 57
Mount Holly, Lumberton and Medford Railroad	47 86
Mount Hope Mineral Railroad	123 90
National Docks Railway	8,146 03
Newark and Bloomfield Railroad	46 40
Newark and Hudson Railroad	443 61
New Jersey and New York Railroad	19 23
New Jersey Southern Railway	317 03
New York and Atlantic Highlands Railroad	30 39
New York and Greenwood Lake Railroad	293 86
New York and Long Branch Railroad	1,005 41
New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad (lessee)	528 08
New York, Susquehanna and Western Railroad	728 55
New York, West Shore and Buffalo Railroad	2,769 15
Northern Railroad of New Jersey	258 86
Ogden Mine Railroad	120 86
Passaic and Delaware Railroad	60 47
Paterson and Hudson River Railroad	1,346 30
Paterson, Newark and New York Railroad	290 09
Paterson and Ramapo Railroad	1,094 94
Pemberton and Hightstown Railroad	65 93
Perth Amboy and Woodbridge Railroad	82 54
Philadelphia and Atlantic City Railroad	480 08
Philadelphia and Long Branch Railroad	125 94
Philadelphia, Marlton and Medford Railroad	16 69
Rocky Hill Railroad and Transportation Company	411 18
Salem Railroad	85 55
South Branch Railroad	298 52
Sussex Railroad	228 35
Swedesboro Railroad	16 37
Toms River Railroad	10 60
Toms River and Waretown Railroad	15 79
Tuckerton Railroad	26 75
United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company	74,668 49
Vincentown Branch Railroad	14 86

Vineland Railroad	$81 84
Warren Railroad	434 54
Watchung Railroad	10 55
Weehawken Branch Railroad	918 14
West End Railroad	24 49
West Jersey Railroad	962 07
West Jersey and Atlantic Railroad	379 55
Williamstown and Delaware River Railroad	32 93
Woodstown and Swedesboro Railroad	17 25
Total	$321,481 99

The following statement shows the counties in which the property of these corporations has been assessed and taxed for local purposes, together with the amount of tax levied on such property in each county:

COUNTIES.	AMOUNT.
Atlantic	$851 92
Bergen	1,361 72
Burlington	1,473 18
Camden	5,781 48
Cape May	622 59
Cumberland	171 64
Essex	5,491 58
Gloucester	157 85
Hudson	246,654 38
Hunterdon	2,586 21
Middlesex	17,564 07
Mercer	5,871 39
Monmouth	2,148 64
Morris	3,937 35
Ocean	385 24
Passaic	1,573 75
Salem	123 86
Somerset	2,161 24
Sussex	1,236 06
Union	16,110 08
Warren	5,217 76
Total	$321,481 99

The payments made during the fiscal year for account of this tax amounted to sixty-four thousand four hundred and forty-nine dollars and seventy-two cents ($64,449.72). A portion of the balance is due from companies which did not contest the act under which the tax was levied, and will be paid into the Treasury early in the coming fiscal year; the remainder was assessed against the thirty-four companies whose cases are about to be brought before the Supreme

Court. No portion of this tax has been distributed to the counties for the reason stated on an earlier page of this report, that the law provides for repayment by the State to corporations of such taxes as shall be found upon review to have been improperly assessed, and makes no provision for repayment by counties or taxing districts of any of the proceeds of such tax which may have been paid to them and afterwards found to be returnable to the corporations. Should the decision of the court in the cases now in litigation sustain the action of the State Board of Assessors, the balance of this tax will doubtless be promptly paid, and the distribution of the whole amount to the several counties can be made at once.

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE FUND.

The assets of this Fund amount to one hundred and sixteen thousand dollars ($116,000), which sum is invested in the war bonds of the State, and the bonds are in the custody of the State Treasurer. They draw interest at the rate of six *per centum per annum*, amounting to six thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars ($6,960) annually, which interest is collected semi-annually by the State Treasurer, and paid over, on the warrants of the Comptroller, to the Treasurer of Rutgers Scientific School for the benefit of the State Agricultural College. These semi-annual collections and payments of interest constitute all the operations of the State Treasury in connection with this Fund. During the past fiscal year they have been as follows:

RECEIPTS—INTEREST ON BONDS OF THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY HELD AS ASSETS OF THE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE FUND.

January 7th, 1885—Six months' interest on $116,000	$3,480 00
July 2d, 1885—Six months' interest on $116,000	3,480 00
Total	$6,960 00

DISBURSEMENTS—PAID TO JOHN C. ELMENDORF, TREASURER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF RUTGERS COLLEGE.

January 7th, 1885	$3,480 00
July 2d, 1885	3,480 00
Total	$6,960 00

By the provisions of "An act concerning official fees and rendering an account thereof," the Comptroller is required to furnish with his annual report all statements, accounts and reports made to him in pursuance of said act. These reports consist of the quarterly returns made by the Clerk in Chancery and the Clerk of the Supreme Court. The views expressed in my last annual report concerning the publication of these statements, are again presented, as follows: "The act requiring the making and publishing of these returns was of no practical use; no good was ever accomplished by it; no benefit has ever been derived from it; it requires from year to year the publication in the Comptroller's report of an utterly useless formula, the necessity for which should be abolished without delay. So long as the law exists, however, it is necessary for the statements to be made and published, and those which have been received for the past year are accordingly presented below:"

COURT OF CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY,
CLERK'S OFFICE,
January, 1st, 1885.

Hon. E. J. Anderson, Comptroller:

In accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act concerning official fees and rendering an account thereof," approved March 14th, 1879, I have the honor to make the following report of fees and compensation received by me in the office of Clerk in Chancery for services rendered by me as such clerk, from October 1st, 1884, to January 1st, 1885.

Very respectfully,

G. S. DURYEE,
Clerk in Chancery.

SCHEDULE.

Cash receipts for services rendered from October 1st, 1884, to January 1st, 1885	$1,864 07

New Jersey, *ss.*—George S. Duryee, being duly sworn according to law, saith that the above is a true statement of fees and compensation received by him in the office of Clerk in Chancery for services rendered by him as such clerk, from October 1st, 1884, to January 1st, 1885, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

G. S. DURYEE.

Sworn and subscribed before me,

F. S. McNEELY,
Notary Public.

COURT OF CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY,
CLERK'S OFFICE,
April 1st, 1885.

Hon. E. J. Anderson, Comptroller:

In accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act concerning official fees and rendering an account thereof," approved March 14th, 1879, I have the honor to make the following report of fees and compensation received by me in the office of Clerk in Chancery for services rendered by me as such clerk, from January 1st, 1885, to April 1st, 1885.

Very respectfully,

G. S DURYEE,
Clerk in Chancery.

SCHEDULE.

Cash receipts for services rendered from January 1st, 1885, to April 1st, 1885 ..... $2,001 27

New Jersey, *ss.*—George S. Duryee, being duly sworn according to law, saith that the above is a true statement of fees and compensation received by him in the office of Clerk in Chancery for services rendered by him as such clerk, from January 1st, 1885, to April 1st, 1885, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

G. S. DURYEE.

Sworn and subscribed before me,

F. S. McNEELY,
Notary Public.

COURT OF CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY,
CLERK'S OFFICE,
July 1st, 1885.

Hon. E. J. Anderson, Comptroller:

In accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act concerning official fees and rendering an account thereof," approved March 14th, 1879, I have the honor to make the following report of fees and compensation received by me in the office of Clerk in Chancery for services rendered by me as such clerk, from April 1st, 1885, to July 1st, 1885.

Very respectfully,

G. S. DURYEE,
Clerk in Chancery.

SCHEDULE.

Cash receipts for services rendered from April 1st, 1885, to July 1st, 1885 ..... $1,520 31

New Jersey, *ss.*—George S. Duryee, being duly sworn according to law, saith that the above is a true statement of fees and compensation received by him in the office of Clerk in Chancery for services rendered by him as such clerk, from April 1st, 1885, to July 1st, 1885, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

G. S. DURYEE.

Sworn and subscribed before me,

F. S. McNEELY,
Notary Public.

COURT OF CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY,
CLERK'S OFFICE,
October 1st, 1885.

Hon. E. J. Anderson, Comptroller:

In accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act concerning official fees and rendering an account thereof," approved March 14th, 1879, I have the honor to make the following report of fees and compensation received by me in the office of Clerk in Chancery for services rendered by me as such clerk, from July 1st, 1885, to October 1st, 1885.

Very respectfully,

G. S. DURYEE,
Clerk in Chancery.

SCHEDULE.

Cash receipts for services rendered from July 1st, 1885, to October 1st, 1885	$575 23

New Jersey, *ss.*—George S. Duryee, being duly sworn according to law, saith that the above is a true statement of fees and compensation received by him in the office of Clerk in Chancery for services rendered by him as such clerk, from July 1st, 1885, to October 1st, 1885, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

G. S. DURYEE.

Sworn and subscribed before me,

F. S. McNEELY,
Notary Public.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
OFFICE OF CLERK OF SUPREME COURT,
TRENTON, January 1st, 1885.

Hon. E. J. Anderson, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—In compliance with an act of the Legislature of New Jersey, entitled "An act concerning official fees and rendering an

account thereof," approved March 14th, 1879, I have the honor to make the following report:

Total cash receipts for fees from all sources for the business of the office, from October 1st, 1884, to January 1st, 1885..... $1,616 05

Yours respectfully,

BENJ. F. LEE,
Clerk.

Benj. F. Lee, being duly sworn, on his oath saith the foregoing is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

BENJ. F. LEE,
Clerk.

Sworn and subscribed before me,

C. McM. CADWALADER,
Notary Public.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
OFFICE OF CLERK OF SUPREME COURT,
TRENTON, March 31st, 1885.

Hon. E. J. Anderson, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—In compliance with an act of the Legislature of New Jersey, entitled "An act concerning official fees and rendering an account thereof," approved March 14th, 1879, I have the honor to make the following report:

Total cash receipts for fees from all sources for the business of the office, from January 1st, 1885, to March 31st, 1885..... $1,603 87

Yours respectfully,

BENJ. F. LEE,
Clerk.

Benj. F. Lee, being duly sworn, on his oath saith the foregoing is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

BENJ. F. LEE,
Clerk.

Sworn and subscribed before me,

C. McM. CADWALADER,
Notary Public.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
OFFICE OF CLERK OF SUPREME COURT,
TRENTON, June 30th, 1885.

Hon. E. J. Anderson, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—In compliance with an act of the Legislature of New Jersey, entitled "An act concerning official fees and rendering an account thereof," approved March 14th, 1879, I have the honor to make the following report:

Total cash receipts for fees from all sources for the business of the office, from April 1st, 1885, to June 30th, 1885... ..... $2,568 90

Yours respectfully,

BENJ. F. LEE,
Clerk.

Benj. F. Lee, being duly sworn, on his oath saith the foregoing is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

BENJ. F. LEE,
Clerk.

Sworn and subscribed before me,

C. McM. CADWALADER,
Notary Public.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
OFFICE OF CLERK OF SUPREME COURT,
TRENTON, October 1st, 1885.

Hon. E. J. Anderson, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—In compliance with an act of the Legislature of New Jersey, entitled "An act concerning official fees and rendering an account thereof," approved March 14th, 1879, I have the honor to make the following report:

Total cash receipts for fees from all sources for the business of the office, from July 1st, 1885, to October 1st, 1885..... $521 51

Yours respectfully,

BENJ. F. LEE,
Clerk.

Benj. F. Lee, being duly sworn, on his oath saith the foregoing is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

BENJ. F. LEE,
Clerk.

Sworn and subscribed before me,

C. McM. CADWALADER,
Notary Public.

The returns received from the several municipalities of the State, showing their financial condition at the close of the fiscal year next preceding the date of this report, will be found printed as required by law, in an Appendix hereto. As usual, many of the localities have failed to make returns. These returns are much sought after as showing the indebtedness of the several counties, cities, towns, &c., and also as showing the amount of taxable property in each, and the local tax rate. It is greatly to be regretted that the law which requires these returns to be made is not more generally observed by the local authorities.

The usual examinations of the Treasurer's bank books have been made during the year as required by law, and no discrepancy or disagreement with the records of this department has at any time appeared.

Respectfully submitted,

E. J. ANDERSON,
Comptroller of the Treasury.

STATEMENT

SHOWING THE

TAXES LEVIED ON RAILROAD AND CANAL PROPERTY

FOR STATE AND LOCAL USES,

Under the valuation made in 1884, together with the amounts paid, and the amounts due October 31st, 1885.

Statement Showing the Taxes Levied on Railroad and Canal Property for State and Local Uses Under the Valuation Made in 1884, together with the Amounts Paid, and the Amounts Due October 31st, 1885.

COMPANIES.	STATE TAX.						LOCAL TAX.		
	Amounts Levied.	Paid Under Protest Without Contest.	Paid Without Protest or Contest.	Contested. Paid Under Order of Court.	In Default.	Amounts Due.	Amounts Levied.	Amounts Paid.	Amounts Due.
PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD SYSTEM.									
Belvidere Delaware R. R.	$18,536 08	$18,536 08					$3,923 92		$3,923 92
Camden and Burlington County R. R.	3,905 52	3,905 52					447 33		447 33
Columbus, Kinkora and Springfield R. R.	863 24	863 24					20 76		20 76
Flemington R. R. and Transportation Co.	1,517 46	1,517 46					16 38		16 38
Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural R. R.	3,447 93	3,447 93					185 71		185 71
Millstone and New Brunswick R. R.	739 74	739 74					34 95		34 95
Mt. Holly, Lumberton and Medford R. R.	700 53	700 53					47 86		47 86
Pemberton and Hightstown R. R.	1,769 33	1,769 33					65 93		65 93
Perth Amboy and Woodbridge R. R.	1,084 34	1,084 34					82 54		82 54
Rocky Hill R. R. and Transportation Co.	334 85	334 85					411 18		411 18
Salem R. R.	1,087 09	1,087 09					85 55		85 55
Swedesboro R. R.	948 48	948 48					16 37		16 37
United New Jersey R. R. and Canal Co.	183,158 84	183,158 84					74,668 49	$6,451 66	68,216 83
Vincentown Branch R. R.	189 32	189 32					14 86		14 86
West Jersey R. R.	16,983 36	16,983 36					962 07		962 07
	$235,266 11	$235,266 11					$80,983 90	$6,451 66	$74,532 24
Camden and Atlantic R. R.	$11,053 05		$11,053 05				$1,677 28	$1,677 28	
Island Heights R. R.	36 82		36 82				7 20	7 20	
National Docks R. R.	4,573 01		4,573 01				8,146 03	8,146 03	
Philadelphia and Long Branch R. R.	3,752 91		3,752 91				125 94	125 94	
Philadelphia, Marlton and Medford R. R.	895 64		895 64				16 69	16 69	
West Jersey and Atlantic R. R.	4,060 88		4,060 88				379 55	379 55	
Woodstown and Swedesboro R. R.	850 33		850 33				17 25	17 25	
Pennsylvania R. R. (Lessee)	26,756 98		26,756 98						
	$51,979 62		$51,979 62				$10,369 94	$10,369 94	

Statement Showing the Taxes Levied on Railroad and Canal Property for State and Local Uses—Continued.

COMPANIES.	STATE TAX.						LOCAL TAX.		
	Amounts Levied.	Paid Under Protest Without Contest.	Paid Without Protest or Contest.	Contested. Paid Under Order of Court.	In Default.	Amounts Due.	Amounts Levied.	Amounts Paid.	Amounts Due.
PHILA. AND READING R. R. SYSTEM.									
Central R. R. of N. J.	$193,784 18			$130,534 18		$63,250 00	$78,056 56		$78,056 56
Constables Hook R. R.	485 93			480 93		5 00	20 57		20 57
Delaware and Bound Brook R. R.	15,162 25			11,162 25		7,000 00	1,168 40		1,168 40
Dover and Rockaway R. R.	648 14			548 14		100 00	87 54		87 54
Delaware R. R.	6 99			6 99					
High Bridge R. R.	3,238 42			2,378 42		860 00	838 65		838 65
Lake Hopatcong R. R.	489 86			484 86		5 00	3 52		3 52
Long Branch and Sea Shore	3,639 60			3,614 60		25 00	793 89		793 89
Longwood Valley	891 98			841 98		50 00	50 68		50 68
Manufacturers' R. R.	419 82			415 82		4 00	831 64		831 64
New Jersey Southern R. R.	7,284 86			7,147 36		137 50	317 03		317 03
New York and Atlantic Highlands R. R.	255 63			250 63		5 00	30 39		30 39
New York and Long Branch R. R.	17,438 56			13,188 56		4,250 00	1,005 41		1,005 41
Ogden Mine R. R.	1,213 55			988 55		225 00	120 86		120 86
Philadelphia and Atlantic City	2,439 52			2,289 52		150 00	480 08		480 08
South Branch R. R.	1,975 32			1,950 32		25 00	298 52		298 52
Toms River R. R.	267 91			260 41		7 50	10 60		10 60
Toms River and Waretown R. R.	499 37			491 87		7 50	15 79		15 79
Vineland R. R.	2,195 65			2,160 65		35 00	81 84		81 84
West End R. R.	577 96			575 46		2 50	24 49		24 49
Williamstown and Delaware River	688 26			675 76		12 50	32 93		32 93
Philadelphia and Reading (Lessee)	2,180 20			2,180 20					
	$258,783 91			$182,577 41		$76,156 50	$84,269 39		$84,269 39
LEHIGH VALLEY R. R. SYSTEM.									
Easton and Amboy R. R.	$43,190 31			$33,190 31		$10,000 00	$9,924 84		$9,924 84
Lehigh Valley R. R. (Lessee)	401 38			401 38			385 44		385 44
Morris Canal and Banking Co.	36,350 13			7,775 10		28,575 03	18,348 08		18,348 08
	$79,941 82			$41,366 79		$38,575 03	$28,658 36		$28,658 36
DEL., LACK. AND WESTERN R. R. SYSTEM.									
Chester R. R.	$781 11		$781 11				$40 11	$40 11	
Morris and Essex	148,861 13			$122,702 98		$26,158 15	66,115 57		$66,115 57
Newark and Bloomfield	1,456 01		1,456 01				46 40	46 40	
Passaic and Delaware R. R.	1,653 24			1,618 24		35 00	60 47		60 47
Sussex R. R.	4,480 89			3,355 89		1,125 00	228 35		228 35
Warren R. R.	16,400 27			10,400 27		6,000 00	434 54		434 54
	$173,632 65		$2,237 12	$138,077 38		$33,318 15	$66,925 44	$86 51	$66,838 93

Statement Showing the Taxes Levied on Railroad and Canal Property for State and Local Uses—Continued.

COMPANIES.	STATE TAX.						LOCAL TAX.		
	Amounts Levied.	Paid Under Protest Without Contest.	Paid Without Protest or Contest.	Contested. Paid Under Order of Court.	In Default.	Amounts Due.	Amounts Levied.	Amounts Paid.	Amounts Due.
N. Y., L. E. AND W. R. R. SYSTEM.									
Bergen County R. R.	$2,250 85		$2,250 85				$286 23	$286 23	
Long Dock Company	29,039 78		29,039 78				39,240 25	39,210 25	
Newark and Hudson R. R.	2,308 89		2,308 89				443 61	443 61	
Northern R. R. of N. J.	3,210 94		3,210 94				258 86	258 86	
Paterson and Hudson River R. R.	5,472 94			$3,150 00		$2,322 94	1,346 30		$1,346 30
Paterson, Newark and New York R. R.	2,840 01		2,840 01				290 09	290 09	
Paterson and Ramapo R. R.	6,227 78			1,750 00		4,477 78	1,094 94		1,094 94
New York, Lake Erie and Western R. R.	10,555 39		10,555 39				528 08	528 08	
	$61,906 58		$50,205 86	$4,900 00		$6,800 72	$43,488 36	$41,047 12	$2,441 24
ROADS UNCLASSIFIED.									
Anglesea R. R.	$251 71				$251 71	$251 71	$2 60		$2 60
Cumberland and Maurice River R. R.	824 04		$824 04				19 80	$19 80	
Camden, Gloucester and Mt Ephraim R.R.	372 75		372 75				14 00	14 00	
Cape May and Sewell's Point R. R.	183 12		183 12				5 75	5 75	
Charlotteburgh and Green Lake R. R.	250 55		250 55				25 88	25 88	
Delaware River R. R.	708 12		708 12				22 55	22 55	
Delaware Bay and Cape May R. R.	241 61		241 61				22 75	22 75	
Ferro Monte R R.	286 50		286 50				36 86	36 86	
Freehold and New York R. R.	1,554 06			$1,509 06		45 00	166 34		166 34
Hackensack R. R.	504 37			495 37		9 00	52 35		52 35
Hibernia Mine R. R.	1,097 62		1,097 62				140 64	140 64	
Hibernia Underground R. R.	532 91		532 91				13 85	13 85	
Jersey City and Bergen R. R.	1,639 94		1,639 94				1,184 38	1,184 38	
Lehigh and Hudson River R. R.	4,654 08		3,490 56		1,163 52	1,163 52	171 19	171 19	
Lodi Branch R. R.	78 39		78 39				1 78	1 78	
Mt. Hope Mineral R. R.	884 28		884 28				123 90	123 90	
Monmouth Park R. R.	129 15			114 15		15 00	12 75		12 75
Mays Landing and Egg Harbor City	203 23				203 23	203 23	8 00		8 00
Midvale R. R.	39 00		39 00						
New York and Fort Lee R. R.	220 67		220 67						
New York and Green Lake R. R.	5,822 22		5,822 22				293 86	293 86	
New York, Susquehanna and Western R. R	24,467 11		12,233 55		12,233 56	12,233 56	728 55	728 55	
New York, West Shore and Buffalo R'y	11,458 14		11,458 14				2,769 15	2,769 15	
New Jersey and New York R. R.	1,426 36			1,409 71		16 65	19 23		19 23
Tuckerton R. R. Co.	1,045 47			1,012 97		32 50	26 75		26 75
Watchung R R.	1,098 76				1,098 76	1,098 76	10 55		10 55
Weehawken Branch R. R.	2,955 82		2,955 82				918 14	918 14	
West Shore and Ontario Terminal R. R.	27,798 82		6,949 58		20,848 74	20,848 74			
	$90,728 30		$50,269 37	$4,541 26	$35,799 52	$35,917 67	$6,786 60	$6,493 03	$293 57

ABSTRACTS

OF THE

AMOUNT OF RATABLES

OF THE

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

FOR THE YEAR

1885.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY,
November 1st, 1885.

To the Senate and General Assembly:

Copies of the Abstracts of Ratables as furnished by the Boards of Assessors of the several counties for the year 1885, are herewith laid before you, together with a summary thereof.

Respectfully,

E. J. ANDERSON,
Comptroller of the Treasury.

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of ATLANTIC County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage and Soldiers' Exemption.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Absecon	2072¾	$123175	.....	.....	$29870	.....	.....	.....	$153045 00	157	.....	.....	$352 50	$772 00	.....	.....	$181 20
Atlantic City	600	1920050	.....	.....	235825	$33575	.....	.....	2602312 50	1486	.....	.....	5968 02	13126 69	.....	.....	.....
Buena Vista	33147	208151	.....	.....	8760	5605	.....	.....	211306 00	252	.....	.....	486 65	1066 03	.....	.....	250 18
Egg Harbor City	4094	182835	.....	.....	28835	7265	.....	.....	203955 00	332	.....	.....	469 69	1028 95	.....	.....	.....
Egg Harbor Township	36470	550175	.....	.....	135450	26925	.....	.....	658850 00	918	.....	.....	1516 85	3323 89	.....	.....	790 07
Galloway	37602	325485	.....	.....	52975	11300	.....	.....	367160 00	563	.....	.....	845 21	1852 32	.....	.....	434 71
Hamilton	44153	266635	.....	.....	99300	.....	.....	.....	365935 00	360	.....	.....	842 40	1846 14	.....	.....	433 26
Hammonton Town	27733	430450	.....	.....	72200	24900	.....	.....	477750 00	648	.....	.....	1099 82	2410 24	.....	.....	.....
Mullica	30856	191305	.....	.....	11835	8530	.....	.....	194610 00	175	.....	.....	448 20	981 81	.....	.....	230 41
The Borough of South Atlantic City	600	100625	.....	.....	1500	.....	.....	.....	102125 00	17	.....	.....	235 28	515 23	.....	.....	120 11
Weymouth	34094	189665	.....	.....	38440	.....	.....	.....	228105 00	170	.....	.....	525 14	1150 78	.....	.....	270 07
Total	251421¾	$4488551	.....	.....	$714990	$118100	.....	.....	$5565153 50	5078	.....	.....	$12809 76	$28073 47	.....	.....	$2700 01

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of BERGEN County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Ridgefield	8790	$1473920	$38500	$192875	$231375	$11000	$11000	$22000	$1683295	586	$586	.....	$3379 39	$7055 16	$3336 19	$10700	.....
Englewood	5725	1968350	93500	265600	359100	.....	45500	45500	2281950	996	996	.....	4581 25	9564 30	4522 69	7500	.....
Palisades	8850	964000	.....	136600	136600	.....	.....	.....	1100600	480	480	.....	2209 57	4612 92	2181 33	5600	.....
Harrington	13849	992850	22000	168900	190900	.....	12950	12950	1170800	588	588	.....	2350 50	4907 15	2320 46	3750	$894 90
Washington	19439	1170240	.....	236180	236180	.....	36735	36735	1369685	691	691	.....	2749 79	5740 74	2714 64	3000	1046 92
Midland	9546	768820	31000	172436	203436	.....	3800	3800	968456	406	406	.....	1944 28	4059 07	1919 42	2500	740 24
New Barbadoes	1833	1137075	.....	296690	296690	.....	50275	50275	1383490	1050	1050	.....	2777 50	5798 60	2742 00	100	1667 47
Lodi	7154	714552	.....	94275	94275	.....	.....	.....	808827	727	727	.....	1623 80	3390 02	1603 05	2000	618 23
Union	7301	1004045	.....	67220	67220	.....	11500	11500	1059765	782	782	.....	2127 59	4441 77	2100 39	1800	810 03
Saddle River	8534	663505	.....	57170	57170	.....	2150	2150	718525	409	409	.....	1442 51	3011 54	1424 07	3000	549 21
Ridgewood	3957	591050	.....	75475	75475	.....	10500	10500	656025	408	408	.....	1317 04	2749 59	1300 20	1500	501 43
Franklin	16355	923525	.....	94200	94200	.....	5700	5700	1012025	605	605	.....	2031 75	4241 68	2005 77	2500	773 54
Hohokus	23821	1141700	.....	188350	188350	2250	9000	11250	1318800	665	665	.....	2647 63	5527 46	2613 79	4000	1008 03
Total	135154	$13513632	$185000	$2045971	$2230971	$13250	$199110	$212360	$15532243	8393	$8393	.....	$31182 60	$65100 00	$30784 00	$46950	$8000 00

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of BURLINGTON County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Bass River	40842	$211965	$6130	$40956	$47086	$6130	.....	.....	$252821	257	$247	.....	$645 95	$1145 78	.....	.....	.....
Beverly City	160	434355	.....	48625	48625	.....	.....	.....	466640	396	325	.....	1197 37	2123 87	.....	.....	.....
Beverly Township	2543	542450	21150	48000	71150	25150	$1450	$26600	584025	343	288	.....	1492 18	2646 80	.....	.....	.....
Bordentown	4675	1256144	114010	231000	345010	114010	33975	147985	1553469	1326	1140	.....	3969 11	7040 32	.....	.....	.....
Burlington	.....	2361721	.....	.....	762734	.....	.....	433561	2690894	2091	1748	.....	6875 23	12195 13	.....	.....	.....
Chester	10755	1152480	131737	490131	621868	131737	248331	380068	2200791	807	751	.....	5623 02	9973 98	.....	.....	.....
Chesterfield	12340	1061701	172436	197331	369767	172436	65900	238336	1193132	376	340	.....	3048 45	5407 27	.....	.....	.....
Cinnaminson	4300	798015	.....	.....	119664	.....	.....	.....	917679	460	435	.....	2344 66	4158 92	.....	.....	.....
Delran	3854	442743	27068	.....	55592	27068	8600	35668	498337	460	413	.....	1273 25	2258 46	.....	.....	.....
Eastampton	3064	241815	54626	123317	177943	54626	3535	58161	361597	150	140	.....	923 88	1638 75	.....	.....	.....
Evesham	14948	843088	126086	171859	297945	126086	29102	155188	992580	434	400	.....	2536 04	4498 37	.....	.....	.....
Florence	4802	476346	.....	.....	112563	.....	.....	77259	511650	440	373	.....	1307 26	2318 79	.....	.....	.....
Little Egg Harbor	.....	286994	.....	.....	123970	.....	.....	24695	407309	480	426	.....	1040 67	1845 93	.....	.....	.....
Lumberton	10600	815650	143770	132886	276656	158200	15002	173202	919104	.....	.....	.....	2348 31	4165 37	.....	.....	.....
Mansfield	11000	911557	253974	105542	359516	247584	35824	283408	987665	449	411	.....	2523 48	4476 10	.....	.....	.....
Medford	23537	1073261	305983	.....	560058	305983	53771	359774	1273565	549	492	.....	3253 96	5771 79	.....	.....	.....
Mount Laurel	12782	872995	219452	214574	435026	219452	58036	277488	1156626	476	442	.....	2955 18	5241 83	.....	.....	.....
New Hanover	23817	1339791	425933	228765	714698	425933	.....	493866	1541573	565	514	.....	3938 72	6986 41	.....	.....	.....
Northampton	.....	1547099	344880	599519	944399	344880	87780	433660	2057838	1297	1109	.....	5257 77	9326 12	.....	.....	.....
Pemberton	31000	828750	.....	.....	302500	.....	.....	304000	827250	698	625	.....	2113 62	3749 10	.....	.....	.....
Randolph	23600	1625	.....	.....	11361	.....	.....	.....	111986	93	87	.....	286 12	507 52	.....	.....	.....
Shamong	35687	338650	.....	.....	41100	.....	.....	42100	337640	251	233	.....	862 69	1530 22	.....	.....	.....
Southampton	20100	935150	204950	135100	340050	244000	72500	316500	1004375	594	524	.....	2566 17	4551 82	.....	.....	.....
Springfield	18228	1304748	348296	250474	598770	348296	.....	400645	1502873	537	499	.....	3839 84	6811 02	.....	.....	.....
Washington	18397	48815	.....	.....	8500	.....	.....	.....	57315	98	87	.....	146 44	259 75	.....	.....	.....
Westampton	.....	500520	76820	71942	148762	76820	.....	100217	549065	181	177	.....	1402 86	2488 36	.....	.....	.....
Willingboro	4110	262365	.....	.....	123557	.....	.....	70667	331955	177	157	.....	848 14	1504 42	.....	.....	.....
Woodland	50000	104000	.....	.....	4000	.....	.....	.....	108000	99	86	.....	275 94	489 46	.....	.....	.....
Total	385641	$21213795	$2977331	$3088021	$8022870	$3028451	$717806	$4832048	$25399764	14084	$12472	.....	$64896 31	$115111 66	.....	.....	.....

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of CAMDEN County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Camden City		$13349460			$1032770			$100000	$14282230				$36307 50	$95940 88			
Centre Township		451080			121844			45580	527344				1340 56	3542 43			
Delaware Township		1008840			158519			15000	1152359				2929 41	7740 97			
Gloucester Township		777809			127805				904614				2300 00	6076 74			
Gloucester City		1266025			507525				1773550				4508 54	11913 82			
Haddon Township		1209145			286155			48300	1447000		$749		3678 58	9720 22			
Stockton Township		797804			94105				891909				2267 32	5993 09			
Waterford Township		388070			52500				440570				1119 97	2959 53			
Winslow Township		433445			66050				499495				1269 76	3355 35			
Merchantville Borough		216215			25225				241440				613 76	1621 87			
Total		$19697393			$2471998			$208880	$22160511				$56335 40	$148864 90			

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of CAPE MAY County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Upper Township	29255	$390047	.....	.....	$133490	.....	.....	.....	$523537	237	$237	.....	$1222 86	$2459 54	.....	$2000	$100
Ocean City	590	160000	.....	.....	40000	.....	.....	.....	200000	100	100	.....	467 10	989 28	.....	.....	.....
Sea Isle City	.....	300000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300000	.....	.....	.....	700 65	1409 07	.....	.....	.....
Dennis Township	24217	360547	.....	.....	54853	.....	.....	.....	415300	420	420	.....	969 93	1950 59	.....	1500	200
Middle Township	27700	430000	.....	.....	120000	.....	.....	.....	550000	600	600	.....	1284 52	2583 28	.....	2000	200
Anglesea	1200	95000	.....	.....	5000	.....	.....	.....	100000	13	13	.....	233 55	469 66	.....	.....	.....
Holly Beach	600	145000	.....	.....	5000	.....	.....	.....	150000	20	20	.....	350 33	704 51	.....	.....	.....
Lower Township	9600	245500	.....	.....	35000	.....	.....	.....	280500	279	279	.....	655 08	1317 48	.....	1000	75
West Cape May	360	111750	.....	.....	13250	.....	.....	.....	125000	108	108	.....	291 94	587 09	.....	400	50
Cape May Point	.....	120000	.....	.....	20000	.....	.....	.....	140000	45	45	.....	326 97	657 53	.....	.....	.....
Cape May	.....	900000	.....	.....	100000	.....	.....	.....	1000000	430	200	.....	2335 54	4696 87	.....	.....	.....
Total	93522	$3257844	.....	.....	$526593	.....	.....	.....	$3784437	2252	$2022	.....	$8838 47	$17775 00	.....	$6900	$625

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of CUMBERLAND County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Bridgeton—1st Ward	4545	$1448995	$411450	$129440	$540890	$129440	$62390	$191830	$1769000	1111	$965	.....	$4418 40	$5552 00	.....	.....	.....
2d Ward	950	713800	93940	137005	230945	93940	19625	113565	831080	700	626	.....	2076 00	2608 09	.....	.....	.....
3d Ward	988	775000	63000	325625	388625	63000	80725	143725	1000000	788	657	.....	2498 25	3138 50	.....	.....	.....
Commercial	15327	454220	40000	157943	197943	40000	62980	102980	652000	521	521	.....	1628 76	2046 30	.....	$1800	.....
Deerfield	23656	751364	179859	124478	304337	179859	28290	208149	825000	435	391	.....	2060 93	2589 26	.....	1400	.....
Downe	16080	333616	24137	66216	90353	24137	37060	61197	360000	465	430	.....	899 32	1129 86	.....	900	.....
Fairfield	16402	468700	.....	.....	182500	.....	.....	143100	505000	418	382	.....	1261 70	1584 90	.....	1000	.....
Greenwich	10158	532507	80051	169424	249475	83752	41839	125591	656400	346	299	.....	1639 00	2058 85	.....	1700	.....
Hopewell	17008	1011685	211835	158510	370345	211835	118371	330206	1058000	457	426	.....	2643 20	3320 53	.....	2100	.....
Landis	40400	1148925	225	109900	110125	225	.....	225	1191000	.....	.....	.....	2975 25	3737 95	.....	5000	.....
Lawrence	15500	510385	98469	186494	284963	111364	53191	164555	637000	530	473	.....	1591 30	1999 22	.....	1000	.....
Maurice River	56433	408000	38000	164000	202000	88530	89470	177700	432000	727	665	.....	1079 17	1355 83	.....	2000	.....
Millville—1st Ward	14950	583328	32894	385840	418734	.....	336687	336687	665000	646	570	.....	1661 24	2087 00	.....	.....	.....
2d Ward	1700	608425	154350	54550	208900	237450	.....	237450	580000	743	628	.....	1449 00	1820 33	.....	.....	.....
3d Ward	5552	759515	405613	.....	405613	.....	85534	85534	1080000	577	577	.....	2697 95	3389 58	.....	.....	.....
Stow Creek	11260	487260	.....	213440	213440	.....	191045	191045	504000	248	216	.....	1259 04	1581 80	.....	.....	.....
Total	256129	$10992725	$1833823	$2352865	$4399188	$1263232	$1207207	$2613539	$12745000	8712	$7826	.....	$31838 51	$40009 00	.....	$16900	.....

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of ESSEX County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
City of Newark		$74189010			$18730160			$1419888	$91491000	27946							
Orange—1st Ward		1077000			154600			43600	1188000	513							
2d Ward		1566900			201000			36000	1731000	630							
3d Ward		1881720			453290			35015	2300000	990							
Bloomfield		2294795			472597			104516	2662000	860							
Franklin		485850			38250			10800	513000	180							
Belleville		1021000			123000			17000	1127000	540							
Caldwell		1353400			203000			120000	1436000	477							
Livingston		526000			91000			22000	595000	216							
Clinton		1366300			106700			None.	1473000	536							
Milburn		1024140			165795			11875	1178000	362							
East Orange		4707900			1019000			79100	5647000	1260							
West Orange		2302800			230200			10200	2522000	745							
South Orange		1901750			304850			16500	2190000	585							
Montclair		2278150			316500			31100	2563000	814							
Total		$97976720			$22609942			$1957594	$118516000	36654							

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of GLOUCESTER County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
City of Woodbury	1095	$1341450	$200600	$315550	$516150	$200600	$37900	$238500	$1619100	794	$738	.....	$1104 51	$5107 82	.....	$1300	$200
Clayton	12104	665464	.....	.....	292870	.....	.....	144284	814050	605	552	.....	2053 51	2567 95	.....	2000	.....
Deptford	12106	859540	128170	156925	285095	128170	60125	188295	956340	440	404	.....	2424 24	3016 86	.....	2000	100
Franklin	37000	596050	.....	.....	70400	6350	.....	6350	660100	760	644	.....	1673 42	2082 44	.....	.....	.....
Glassboro	6909	681725	.....	.....	421200	.....	.....	169300	933625	601	535	.....	2366 71	2945 25	.....	900	.....
East Greenwich	8792	676489	96257	270562	366819	96257	72564	168821	874487	349	318	.....	2216 68	2753 50	.....	.....	.....
Greenwich	6538	834909	.....	.....	352598	.....	.....	227572	959935	476	402	.....	2433 36	3028 22	.....	1400	.....
Harrison	11960	938591	303721	301885	605606	.....	.....	374006	1170191	450	410	.....	2966 21	3691 35	.....	1200	250
South Harrison	12400	681150	190750	159700	350450	190750	60550	251300	780300	289	271	.....	1978 11	2461 64	.....	1000	200
Logan	13297	1043786	287292	171908	459200	287292	49661	336953	1166033	466	428	.....	2955 72	3678 40	.....	1500	200
Mantua	10350	719155	161467	208390	369857	161467	71586	233053	855957	457	413	.....	2169 81	2700 13	.....	1200	25
Monroe	26389	570831	.....	.....	123775	.....	.....	49800	644806	425	376	.....	1634 61	2034 16	.....	1025	200
Washington	13992	685015	.....	.....	192988	.....	.....	105648	772355	351	325	.....	1957 84	2436 40	.....	1500	.....
West Deptford	10259	856378	.....	.....	250944	127049	21375	148424	958898	352	324	.....	2430 58	3024 75	.....	1600	200
Woolwich	13475	1147202	.....	.....	607198	282200	119900	402100	1352300	594	536	.....	3428 17	4266 13	.....	1500	100
Total	196666	$12297735	$1368257	$1584920	$5265150	$1480135	$493661	$3044406	$14518479	7409	$6676	.....	$36793 48	$45800 00	.....	$18125	$1475

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TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Jersey City—1st Dist.		$10815150			$2007333 00				$12822483 00				$31833 45	$64163 59			
2d Dist.		11151330			687600 00				11838930 00				29391 65	59241 90			
3d Dist.		7539900			286400 00				7826300 00				19429 79	39162 74			
4th Dist.		8783535			332900 00				9116435 00				22632 71	45618 56			
5th Dist.		8913160			575500 00				9488660 00				23556 81	47481 17			
6th Dist.		14368337			674950 00				15043287 00				37346 88	75276 48			
Hoboken		14903200			1343641 34				16246841 34				40334 86	81299 05			
Bayonne		7093235			472350 00				7565585 00				18782 54	37858 12			
North Bergen		1941245			103292 00				2044537 00				5075 83	10230 85			
West Hoboken		2022050			82650 00				2104700 00				5225 19	10531 89			
Town of Union		1399850			77400 00				1477250 00				3667 47	7392 15			
Union Township		630650			26850 00				657500 00				1632 33	3290 13			
Guttenberg		375500			15900 00				391400 00				971 71	1958 57			
Weehawken		2268750			45050 00				2313800 00				5744 31	11578 24			
Harrison—1st Ward		307350			12500 00				319850 00				794 07	1600 52			
2d Ward		409025			23900 00				432925 00				1074 80	2166 35			
3d Ward		510790			7850 00				518640 00				1287 60	2595 26			
4th Ward		577675			36200 00				613875 00				1524 03	3071 82			
Kearny		1623395			162700 00				1786095 00				4134 21	8937 61			
Total		$95634127			$6974966 34				$102609093 34				$254740 24	$513455 00			

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of HUNTERDON County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Alexandria	14813	$793286	.....	.....	$375445	.....	.....	$358996	$809735	871	$325	.....	$2073 76	$2898 68	.....	.....	.....
Bethlehem	13386	1004833	.....	.....	479521	.....	.....	353302	1131052	731	678	.....	2896 33	4049 39	.....	.....	.....
Clinton Borough	.....	395850	.....	.....	324050	.....	.....	170600	549300	248	227	.....	1407 05	1966 72	.....	.....	.....
Clinton Township	16521	1055000	.....	.....	595150	.....	.....	528050	1122100	559	539	.....	2873 41	4017 34	.....	.....	.....
Delaware	26133	1571600	.....	.....	810400	.....	.....	542650	1839350	868	807	.....	4709 57	6593 10	.....	.....	.....
East Amwell	15280	899952	.....	.....	621961	.....	.....	386716	1135197	429	388	.....	2907 00	4064 23	.....	.....	.....
Franklin	14454	869566	.....	.....	492949	.....	.....	330905	1051610	414	392	.....	2641 77	3693 39	.....	.....	.....
Frenchtown Borough	550	329562	.....	.....	367417	.....	.....	142517	554462	297	263	.....	1420 27	1985 20	.....	.....	.....
High Bridge	10418	805338	.....	.....	291125	.....	.....	313507	782956	482	436	.....	2005 21	2803 21	.....	.....	.....
Holland	14557	978067	.....	.....	500574	.....	.....	332192	1146449	498	439	.....	2935 75	4104 51	.....	.....	.....
Kingwood	21801	822139	.....	.....	537396	.....	.....	410677	948858	450	414	.....	2429 92	3397 14	.....	.....	.....
Lebanon	14321	821930	.....	.....	327520	.....	.....	266350	883100	666	601	.....	2261 57	3161 72	.....	.....	.....
Lambertville—1st Ward.	.....	336095	.....	.....	777095	.....	.....	106799	806391	295	257	.....	785 20	1097 11	.....	.....	.....
2d Ward.	.....	572430	.....	.....	611510	.....	.....	260270	923670	332	279	.....	2365 43	3306 97	.....	.....	.....
3d Ward.	.....	564780	.....	.....	312955	.....	.....	266418	611317	434	361	.....	1565 88	2188 74	.....	.....	.....
Raritan	23869	2196350	.....	.....	1580700	.....	.....	1078450	2698600	1059	956	.....	6909 25	9661 29	.....	.....	.....
Readington	29561	1662977	.....	.....	1023728	.....	.....	849943	1836762	831	784	.....	4702 95	6575 83	.....	.....	.....
Tewksbury	19171	947438	.....	.....	517271	.....	.....	422188	1042526	535	495	.....	2669 70	3732 47	.....	.....	.....
Union	13492	870935	.....	.....	348772	.....	.....	283193	936514	313	294	.....	2398 31	3352 95	.....	.....	.....
West Amwell	12178	561680	.....	.....	299249	.....	.....	204535	656394	265	231	.....	1681 17	2350 01	.....	.....	.....
Total	260505	$18059808	.....	.....	$10494788	.....	.....	$7608253	$20946343	10077	$9166	.....	$53639 48	$75000 00	.....	.....	.....

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of MERCER County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Ewing	10120	$1798449	.....	.....	$354732	.....	.....	$925913	$1227268	.....	$560	.....	$3121 24	$3443 12	.....	.....	.....
Lawrence	13319	979366	.....	.....	326661	$237350	$84811	322161	973966	.....	337	.....	2484 38	2733 00	.....	$1200	$600
Hopewell	37005	2504040	$753220	$803786	1557006	754629	298417	1053046	3008000	1179	1104	.....	7662 50	8438 00	.....	3300	1800
Princeton	10574	2012955	244452	767480	1011932	303140	64895	368035	2656652	.....	1056	.....	6767 68	7453 85	.....	2800	3600
East Windsor	10245	1143732	294504	379864	674368	371136	78545	449681	1368419	693	621	.....	3486 00	3839 12	.....	500	500
West Windsor	16366	971406	.....	.....	427160	.....	.....	274698	1123867	.....	315	.....	2862 76	3153 30	.....	800	800
Washington	12186	725925	.....	.....	268901	.....	.....	213830	781000	305	305	.....	1989 44	2191 14	.....	400	800
Hamilton	21103	1688569	396797	352728	749525	412257	58859	485866	1952228	766	766	.....	4973 00	5477 00	.....	1800	2000
Millham	.....	678415	15175	17725	32900	30175	.....	30175	681635	.....	524	.....	1737 00	1912 02	.....	3000	600
Chambersburg	.....	1632567	.....	616948	616948	.....	.....	187006	2249515	.....	942	.....	5730 00	6311 58	.....	.....	.....
Trenton	.....	12184601	.....	.....	4495987	275483	348223	623706	16056882	.....	7296	.....	40900 94	45047 87	.....	.....	.....
Total	130918	$26320024	$1704148	$2938531	$10516070	$2384170	$933750	$4934117	$32079632	2943	$13826	.....	$81714 94	$90000 00	.....	$13600	$10700

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of MIDDLESEX County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
New Brunswick		$4062800		$1359700	$1359700				$5442500				$14051 58	$35310			
South Brunswick		1237434	$169515	127996	297411	$173915	$23330	$197245	1337700				3453 00	8960			
East Brunswick		843350	58700	120075	178775	76200	15425	91625	930500				2402 00	6046			
North Brunswick		497330	23135	110470	133605	23135	1600	24735	606200				1565 00	3936			
Cranbury		703000			405000			240000	868000				2241 00	5708			
Monroe		1111715			293175			256490	1148400				2964 00	7465			
Madison		318761			61811			31571	349000				901 00	2261			
Sayreville		371550			42750				414300				1070 00	2685			
South Amboy		525900			118500			41500	602000				1554 00	3900			
Perth Amboy		1694250			70150			6300	1758100				4538 00	11434			
Woodbridge		1684755			161670			19425	1827000				4716 00	11887			
Piscataway		1632000	166500	238000	403300			310000	1724800				4452 00	11220			
Raritan		1577600			182950			126300	1596500				4121 00	10388			
Total		$16278945	$416650	$1956241	$3708797	$273250	$40355	$1347191	$18605000				$48028 58	$121200			

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of MONMOUTH County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Atlantic	18000	$897000			$412000			$412000	$900000		$380		$2187 31	$4175 00			
Eatontown	7695	855000			245000			48000	1052900		420		2556 67	4880 00			
Freehold	19329	2382000			1025000			947000	2700000	930	810		6561 31	12523 00			
Holmdel	11117	1038000			481000			317000	1202000		432		2921 17	5575 00			
Howell	30920	990000			335000			335000	980000	725	675		2381 71	4554 00			
Manalapan	18000	1147560			458564			405636	1200500	510	459		2917 52	5566 00			
Marlboro	16650	1151000			379900			380400	1150500	508	474		2796 24	5338 00			
Matawan	4500	744000			302000			241000	812000	656	566		1989 47	3766 83			
Middletown	21901	2676779			788170				2702300		1053		6546 90	12532 00			
Millstone	23510	990741			538513			503099	1026200	459	423		2493 96	4760 00			
Neptune		1725650			459023				2184600	1532	746		5309 89	10135 00			
Ocean		6275000			575000			600000	8000000				19440 31	37105 00			
Raritan	5245	1129985			459241			298626	1290000				3135 01	5983 00			
Shrewsbury	19000	3040000			650000			390000	3300000		1355		8019 31	15305 00			
Upper Freehold	29500	1850600			955462			709100	2100000	810	736		5103 31	9740 00			
Wall	17000	1800000			475000			325000	2500000		825		6075 31	11595 00			
Total	242367	$28693315			$8838873			$5911861	$33100100	6130	$9354		$80434 42	$158532 53			

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of MORRIS County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Boonton	3335	$789675			$110000			$28500	$871175	620	$570		$2243 02	$3207 06		$2000	$150
Chatham	12776	2106575			412077			34720	2483932	1132	1072		6493 14	9142 21		6500	500
Chester	17490	920400			424165			237560	1107005	650	615		2850 56	4076 02		2500	100
Hanover	29518	1648790			346075			86425	1908440	914	846		4914 54	7022 84		3816	
Jefferson	24868	416150			191645			20795	587000	395	356		1511 53	2161 34		1400	
Morris	8912	4635800			1155200			245000	5546000	1852	1599		14281 06	20425 45		7000	300
Montville	11409	444939			108725			42975	510689	344	318		1315 02	1880 36		2000	200
Mendham	13500	719250			235350			219100	735500	369	342		1893 92	2708 03		1600	150
Mount Olive	18250	697490			184470			118960	763000	491	438		1964 73	2809 33		1500	
Passaic	18942	590000			185000			143000	632000	341	321		1627 45	2327 03		2500	100
Pequannock	20951	627820			92648			29999	690469	582	549		1777 95	2542 32		1500	
Randolph	14000	1217150			325700			58250	1484600	1696	1556		3822 86	5466 34		5500	500
Roxbury	12035	606950			138825			38725	707050	577	524		1820 73	2603 32		2000	
Rockaway	31232	1011830			149100			24700	1136230	1169	1072		2925 80	4183 62		3400	500
Washington	26288	1085425			415800			294073	1207152	653	590		3108 61	4444 73		3500	
Total	263506	$17517244			$4474780			$1622782	$20369242	11787	$10768		$52450 92	$75000 00		$46716	$2500

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of OCEAN County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	Total Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				Without Polls.	With Polls.				
Berkeley	26810	$252250			$15100			$4875	$262475	159	$159	$2000 73	$2159 73				
Brick	24466	1189975			221600			173375	1238200	770	770	9473 37	10243 37				
Dover	25093	840200			255850			238900	857150	622	622	6544 10	7166 10				
Eagleswood	12005	132980			36040			12800	151220	179	179	1154 40	1333 40				
Jackson	46128	358687			85030			90050	353667	388	388	2700 06	3088 06				
Lacey	30625	199228			40450			7000	232678	149	149	1776 32	1925 32				
Manchester	57000	155700			26350			34505	147545	244	244	1126 34	1370 34				
Ocean	6448	77360			29758			1550	105568	118	118	805 86	923 86				
Plumsted	18921	452068			180020			185354	446734	306	306	3410 61	3716 61				
Stafford	20930	132374			31610			14130	149854	234	234	1143 97	1377 97				
Union	12625	157885			35700			8200	185385	280	280	1415 24	1695 24				
Total	281051	$3948707			$957508			$770739	$4130476	3449	$3449	$31551 00	$35000 00				

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of PASSAIC County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Paterson—1st Ward	.....	$1223630	.....	$87250	$87250	.....	.....	.....	$1310870	1199	$1199						
2d Ward	.....	1553098	.....	120250	120250	.....	.....	.....	1673348	1157	1157						
3d Ward	.....	3483190	.....	333110	333110	.....	.....	.....	3816290	1744	1744						
4th Ward	.....	3991248	.....	1100350	1100350	.....	.....	.....	5091598	1090	1090						
5th Ward	.....	3008340	.....	599750	599750	.....	.....	.....	3608090	1242	1242	.....	$57722 52	$100755 75	.....	.....	.....
6th Ward	.....	2103600	.....	742950	742950	.....	.....	.....	2846550	618	618						
7th Ward	.....	1580325	.....	687750	687750	.....	.....	.....	2268275	656	656						
8th Ward	.....	1867030	.....	141050	141050	.....	.....	.....	2008080	1751	1751						
Passaic—1st Ward	.....	1293560	.....	261625	261625	.....	.....	.....	1555185	1238	1238						
2d Ward	.....	806810	.....	90100	90100	.....	.....	.....	896910	527	527	.....	8314 67	14514 58	.....	.....	.....
3d Ward	.....	745250	.....	61650	61650	.....	.....	.....	806900	276	276						
Acquackanonk	6432	1207700	.....	140300	140300	.....	.....	.....	1348000	441	441	.....	3439 15	6003 58	.....	.....	.....
Wayne	15574	652840	.....	85225	85225	.....	.....	.....	768065	415	415	.....	1959 56	3420 71	.....	.....	.....
Pompton	27704	609585	.....	68650	68650	.....	.....	.....	678240	445	445	.....	1728 39	3020 67	.....	.....	.....
Manchester	6615	592135	.....	60300	60300	.....	.....	.....	652435	345	345	.....	1664 54	2905 74	.....	.....	.....
West Milford	40250	464975	.....	59125	59125	.....	.....	.....	524100	540	540	.....	1337 13	2334 28	.....	.....	.....
Little Falls	3343	378625	.....	80475	80475	.....	.....	.....	459100	382	382	.....	1171 30	2044 69	.....	.....	.....
Total	99918	$25591931	.....	$4719910	$4719910	.....	.....	.....	$30312036	14066	$14066	.....	$77337 26	$135000 00	.....	.....	.....

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of OCEAN County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	Total Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				Without Polls.	With Polls.				
Berkeley	26810	$252250			$15100			$4875	$262475	159	$159	$2000 73	$2159 73				
Brick	24466	1189975			221600			173375	1238200	770	770	9473 37	10243 37				
Dover	25093	840200			255850			238900	857150	622	622	6544 10	7166 10				
Eagleswood	12005	132980			36040			12800	151220	179	179	1154 40	1333 40				
Jackson	46128	358687			85030			90050	353667	388	388	2700 06	3088 06				
Lacey	30625	199228			40450			7000	232678	149	149	1776 32	1925 32				
Manchester	57000	155700			26350			34505	147545	244	244	1126 34	1370 34				
Ocean	6448	77360			29758			1550	105568	118	118	805 86	923 86				
Plumsted	18921	452068			180020			185354	446734	306	306	3410 61	3716 61				
Stafford	20930	132374			31610			14130	149854	234	234	1143 97	1377 97				
Union	12625	157885			35700			8200	185385	280	280	1415 24	1695 24				
Total	281051	$3948707			$957508			$770739	$4130476	3449	$3449	$31551 00	$35000 00				

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of PASSAIC County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Paterson—1st Ward		$1323620		$87250	$87250				$1310870	1199	$1199						
2d Ward		1532098		120250	120250				1673348	1157	1157						
3d Ward		3483190		333110	333110				3816290	1744	1744						
4th Ward		3991248		1100350	1100350				5091598	1090	1090						
5th Ward		3008340		599750	599750				3608090	1242	1242		$57722 52	$100755 75			
6th Ward		2103600		742950	742950				2846550	618	618						
7th Ward		1580325		687750	687750				2268275	656	656						
8th Ward		1867030		141050	141050				2008080	1751	1751						
Passaic—1st Ward		1293560		261625	261625				1555185	1238	1238						
2d Ward		806810		90100	90100				896910	527	527		8314 67	14514 58			
3d Ward		745250		61650	61650				806900	276	276						
Acquackanonk	6432	1207700		140300	140300				1348000	441	441		3439 15	6003 58			
Wayne	15574	682840		85225	85225				768065	415	415		1959 56	3420 71			
Pompton	27704	609585		68650	68650				678240	445	445		1728 39	3020 67			
Manchester	6615	592135		60300	60300				652435	345	345		1664 54	2905 74			
West Milford	40250	464975		59125	59125				524100	540	540		1337 13	2334 28			
Little Falls	3343	378625		80475	80475				459100	382	382		1171 30	2044 69			
Total	99918	$25591931		$4719910	$4719910				$30312036	14066	$14066		$77337 26	$135000 00			

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of SALEM County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
East Ward	.....	$1110900	.....	.....	$762200	.....	.....	$381650	$1491450	729	656	.....	$3756	$5147	.....	.....	.....
West Ward	.....	984120	.....	.....	1001944	.....	.....	316358	1668806	633	576	.....	4203	5759	.....	.....	.....
Mannington	22948	1394275	.....	.....	648800	.....	.....	379775	1663300	525	475	.....	4189	5740	.....	.....	.....
Pilesgrove	21823	1869475	.....	.....	1239925	.....	.....	653600	2455800	904	800	.....	6186	8474	.....	.....	.....
Alloway	18850	621400	.....	.....	403610	.....	.....	282365	742645	463	422	.....	1871	2563	.....	.....	.....
Lower Alloways Creek	24842	660119	.....	.....	407097	.....	.....	264120	803096	345	316	.....	2023	2771	.....	.....	.....
Upper Penns Neck	11100	715390	.....	.....	374376	.....	.....	219062	870704	639	578	.....	2193	3004	.....	.....	.....
Oldmans	11407	613786	.....	.....	385204	.....	.....	254429	744561	382	350	.....	1875	2570	.....	.....	.....
Lower Penns Neck	13580	667617	.....	.....	335610	.....	.....	199403	803824	360	342	.....	2025	2774	.....	.....	.....
Elsinboro	7921	427540	.....	.....	187459	.....	.....	120349	494650	147	135	.....	1246	1707	.....	.....	.....
Upper Pittsgrove	21495	1077527	.....	.....	613697	.....	.....	431717	1259507	533	494	.....	3172	4346	.....	.....	.....
Pittsgrove	28450	565300	.....	.....	241500	.....	.....	216700	590100	570	507	.....	1486	2036	.....	.....	.....
Quinton	12984	568553	.....	.....	268120	.....	.....	186025	650648	387	353	.....	1639	2245	.....	.....	.....
Total	194950	$11276002	.....	.....	$6868642	.....	.....	$3905553	$14239091	6617	$6004	.....	$35864	$49136	.....	.....	.....

Abstract as Re'urned by the Assessors of SOMERSET County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Bedminster	20200	$999642	.....	$551235	.....	.....	.....	$352877	$1198000	446	$446	.....	$3045 55	$4005 51	.....	$2200	$1400
Bernards	26000	1451935	.....	436865	.....	.....	.....	286800	1602000	610	610	.....	4072 60	5356 02	.....	4000	1600
Branchburg	12520	906466	.....	508200	.....	.....	.....	396666	1018000	329	329	.....	2587 96	3403 68	.....	1600	1000
Bridgewater	21630	3609565	.....	2665310	.....	.....	.....	1422875	4852000	2105	2105	.....	12334 60	16222 56	.....	10500	4500
Franklin	28166	2135760	.....	807490	.....	.....	.....	472250	2471000	900	900	.....	6281 77	8261 70	.....	3000	600
Hillsborough	34765	2147212	.....	1155698	.....	.....	.....	904910	2398000	779	779	.....	6096 19	8017 61	.....	5000	500
Montgomery	20128	1113206	.....	508066	.....	.....	.....	409272	1212000	442	442	.....	3081 14	4052 32	.....	1700	400
North Plainfield	7347	1240350	.....	227500	.....	.....	.....	109850	1358000	736	736	.....	3452 30	4540 47	.....	2200	1400
Warren	12454	319490	.....	69920	.....	.....	.....	48410	341000	283	283	.....	866 89	1140 13	.....	1000	500
Total	183210	$13923626	.....	$6930284	.....	.....	.....	$4403910	$16450000	6630	$6630	.....	$41819 00	$55000 00	.....	$31200	$11900

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of SUSSEX County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		State School and County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Andover	13700	$548811			$231185			$220675	$559321	282	$262			$3713 13			
Byram	19265	389070			127460			46424	470106	312	266			3120 87			
Frankford	19254	668095			453804			368949	752960	404	370			4998 57			
Green	12844	521303			331201			206249	646264	204	190			4290 32			
Hampton	13296	495200			280300			180800	594700	215	200			3948 00			
Hardyston	16621	695790			157400			140700	712490	602	546			4729 97			
Lafayette	10730	424998			247940			210560	462378	218	202			3069 56			
Montague	25154	271080			117550			72750	315880	202	167			2097 01			
Newton	1300	834998			816600			419250	1232348	710	522			8181 12			
Stillwater	21650	567955			287743			183913	671785	359	336			4459 75			
Sparta	25217	755577			241429			141584	855422	479	445			5678 84			
Sandyston	27524	371070			205000			192700	383370	317	294			2545 05			
Vernon	36840	520550			201735			56990	665305	425	387			4416 73			
Wantage	41100	1649324			820264			624051	1845537	915	843			12251 86			
Wallpack	11500	198418			124429			125450	197397	151	140			1310 45			
Total	295995	$8912239			$4644040			$3191026	$10365258	5795	$5170			$68811 23			

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of UNION County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Clark		$199973			$22227				$222200	81			$565 59	$1160 87			
Cranford		380800			49400			$1100	429100	276			1092 25	2241 81			
Elizabeth—1st Ward		1248900			125900			42300	1332500	934							
2d Ward		1342600			314200			42300	1614500	806							
3d Ward		960300			22750			32250	950800	815							
4th Ward		918300			242500			82200	1078600	327			29532 18	60613 81			
5th Ward		2482200			256300			86800	2651700	1106							
6th Ward		1483550			200000			105000	1578550	450							
7th Ward		1157300			195450			44250	1308500	347							
8th Ward		1026200			87100			26500	1086800	391							
Fanwood		478100			184050			17950	644200	272			1639 78	3365 59			
Linden		1059775			198300			24775	1233300	325			3139 30	6443 31			
New Providence		206400			21750			8150	220000	199			559 99	1149 38			
Plainfield		4018200			948550			141250	4825500	1810			12283 11	25210 61			
Rahway—1st Ward		388250			58875			9450	437675	158							
2d Ward		385350			62750			10625	437475	190			6493 57	13327 83			
3d Ward		963775			163900			18900	1108775	406							
4th Ward		471075			99550			3500	567125	171							
Springfield		247775			29320			3795	273300	187			695 67	1427 84			
Summit		741600			78400				820000	553			2087 26	4284 04			
Union		1137000			244500			69100	1312400	530			3340 65	6856 57			
Westfield		667870			82130				750000	519			1909 08	3913 34			
Total		$21965293			$3687902			$770195	$24883000	10853			$63338 43	$130000 00			

Abstract as Returned by the Assessors of WARREN County for the year 1885.

TOWNSHIPS.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate.			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Allamuchy	11930	$405680			$140860			$100685	$445855	195	$180		$1159 22	$1292 98			
Belvidere	554	759563			524978			226343	1058198	430	391		2751 31	3068 77			
Blairstown	18010	663772			635934			249000	1050736	403	376		2731 91	3047 13			
Franklin	12870	964244			475136			277998	1161382	389	357		3019 59	3368 01			
Frelinghuysen	15029	639974			314397			176644	777727	268	251		2022 09	2255 41			
Greenwich	6241	612356			225759			112968	725147	240	223		1885 38	2102 93			
Hackettstown	1000	913200			252870			205155	960915	618	556		2498 37	2786 65			
Hardwick	11351	217677			107300			75250	249727	156	148		649 29	724 21			
Harmony	14050	754903			312689			183427	884165	321	304		2296 82	2564 07			
Hope	18113	847029			530558			269577	1108010	425	393		2880 82	3213 22			
Independence	10900	480730			229057			150830	557957	271	240		1450 68	1618 07			
Knowlton	13765	670660			290474			182102	779032	415	390		2025 48	2259 19		$1500	$150
Lopatcong	5644	767945			232868			117120	883693	421	385		2297 60	2562 70		900	200
Mansfield	17230	864125			323025			204660	981490	430	402		2551 57	2846 32			
Oxford	19500	1780650			540449			351376	1969523	1105	1031		5121 91	5711 90			
Phillipsburg—1st Ward		674625			318176			84635	908166	504	437		2361 23	2633 68			
2d Ward		414760			114730			68215	461275	500	434		1199 31	1337 69			
3d Ward	45	519800			81235			93110	507925	627	546		1320 60	1472 98			
4th Ward		628300			49125			44740	632685	575	545		1644 98	1834 78			
Pahaquarry	10479	138000			25000			10000	151000	71	55		392 60	437 90			
Pohatcong	8315	789254			391437			94760	1085931	389	356		2823 42	3149 19			
Washington Township	10620	807959			224785			141335	891400	333	303		2317 64	2585 06			
Washington Borough	702	820180			326130			251147	895163	704	623		2327 42	2595 97			
Total	206398	$16135277			$6663092			3671077	$19127202	9591	$8726		$49730 64	$55468 81		$2400	$350

SUMMARY of Abstracts of the Several Counties for the year 1885.

COUNTIES.	Acres.	Valuation of Real Estate.	Valuation of Personal Estate			Debt.			Total Valuation Taxable.	Polls.	Poll Tax.	State Tax.		County Tax.	Bounty Tax.	Road Tax.	Poor Tax.
			Bond and Mortgage.	Other Personal.	Total Personal.	Bond and Mortgage.	Other Debt.	Total Debt.				General.	School.				
Atlantic	251421¾	$4488551			$714990 00	$118100			$5565153 50	5078			$12809 76	$28073 47			$2700 01
Bergen	135154	13513632	$185000	$2045971	2230971 00	13250	$199110	$212360	15532243 00	8393	$8393		31182 60	65100 00	$30784 00	$46950	8000 00
Burlington	385641	21213795	2977331	3088021	8022870 00	3028451	717806	4832048	25399764 00	14084	12472		64896 31	119111 66			
Camden		19897393			2471998 00			208880	22160511 00				56335 40	148864 90			
Cape May	93522	3257844			526593 00				3784337 00	2252	2022		8838 47	17775 00		6900	625 00
Cumberland	256129	10992725	1833823	2382865	4399188 00	1263232	1207207	2613539	12745600 00	8712	7826		31838 51	40000 00		16900	
Essex		97976720			22609942 00			1957594	118616000 00	36654							
Gloucester	196666	12297735	1368257	1584920	5265150 00	1480135	493661	3044406	14518479 00	7409	6676		36793 48	45800 00		18125	1475 00
Hudson		95634127			6974966 34				102609093 34				254740 24	513455 00			
Hunterdon	260505	18059808			16494788 00			7608253	26946343 00	10077	9166		53639 48	75000 00			
Mercer	130918	26320024	1704148	2938531	10516670 00	2384170	933750	4934117	32079632 00	2943	13826		81714 94	90000 00		13800	10700 00
Middlesex		16278945	416650	1956241	3708797 00	273250	40355	1347191	18605000 00				48028 58	121200 00			
Monmouth	242567	28693315			8838873 00			5911861	33160100 00	6150	9354		80434 42	153532 83			
Morris	263506	17517244			4474780 00			1622782	20369242 00	11787	10768		52450 92	75000 00		46716	2500 00
Ocean	281051	3948707			957508 00			770739	4130476 00	3449	3449		31551 00	35000 00			
Passaic	99918	25591931		4719910	4719910 00				30312036 00	14066	14066		77337 26	135000 00			
Salem	194950	11276002			6868642 00			3905553	14239091 00	6617	6004		35864 00	49136 00			
Somerset	183210	13925628		6930284				4403910	16450000 00	6630	6630		41819 00	55000 00		31200	11900 00
Sussex	295995	8912239			4644040 00			3191026	10365253 00	5795	5170			*68811 23			
Union		21965293			3687902 00			770195	24883000 00	10853			63338 43	130000 00			
Warren	206398	16135277			6665002 00			3671077	19127202 00	9591	8726		49730 64	55468 81		2400	350 00
Total		$487894933			$118790980 34				$565537955 84								

*School and County Tax.

STATEMENTS

OF THE

Financial Condition

OF THE SEVERAL

COUNTIES, CITIES, TOWNSHIPS,

TOWNS, BOROUGHS AND VILLAGES,

OF NEW JERSEY.

1885.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY,
TRENTON, November 1st, 1885.

To the Senate and General Assembly:

The following act, providing for reports of the financial condition of the various municipal governments throughout the State, was passed at the session of 1881:

A further supplement to an act creating the office of comptroller of the treasury and defining the duties thereof, approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

1. BE IT ENACTED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That it shall be the duty of the board of chosen freeholders of each county, the committeemen of each township, the mayor and common council of each city, and the representative authority of each town and borough in this state, to transmit to the comptroller of the treasury, on or before the first day of October in each year, a statement of the financial condition of their respective counties, townships, cities, towns or boroughs, at the close of their respective fiscal years next preceding the time of making such statement; and the said statements shall set forth the amounts of the funded and floating debt, of what they are composed, the purposes for which they are contracted, the rate of interest thereon, and the time when the debts fall due; the nature and condition of the sinking fund, if any; the amount of real and personal property taxable; the rate of tax levied and the amount raised, and the expenditures for the year, arranged under general heads.

2. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the comptroller to furnish the necessary blanks to the several authorities, upon their application, for making the statements required by this act, and to lay copies of the statements received by him for each year, or abstracts thereof, before the legislature, at the time of making his annual report.

3. *And be it enacted*, That if any of the said officers shall neglect or refuse to furnish or transmit the statement as required in the first section of this act, the same shall be liable to indictment for such neglect or refusal, and shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars.

4. *And be it enacted*, That an act entitled "A supplement to an act creating the office of comptroller of the treasury and defining the duties thereof," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, which supplement was approved March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

5. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved March 18th, 1881.

Pursuant to this act, the usual blanks were prepared and forwarded to all those local authorities whose names and post office addresses were known to this department, or whose names could be learned, but, notwithstanding the efforts made to call attention to the subject, and notwithstanding the penalty imposed by law for neglecting to furnish the statements, a number of counties, cities and townships have failed to make the required returns.

Printed copies of the statements returned to this office are furnished herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

E. J. ANDERSON,
Comptroller of the Treasury.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

ATLANTIC COUNTY.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$4,488,551.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$714,990.

Amount of Tax Raised for Year 1885—

Court Expenses	$6,000 00
Interest on Surplus Revenue	334 81
Interest on Loans	450 00
Stationery, Printing, &c	550 00
Lunatic Asylum	3,200 00
County Superintendent	800 00
Officers' Salaries	575 00
Election Expenses	475 00
Coroners and Physicians	700 00
Expenses of Board	600 00
Bridges	6,500 00
Jail	3,000 00
Indexing Records	938 66
Justices' Costs	450 00
Constables' Costs	700 00
Boundary Line	500 00
Public Buildings	500 00
Miscellaneous County Expenses	1,500 00
County Solicitor	100 00
	$28,073 47
Almshouse	2,700 00
	$30,773 47

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 12th, 1885—

Paid State Treasurer, School Tax, 1884		$12,440 59
" Almshouse Orders		2,450 41
" Bridge Bills		8,140 11
" County Superintendent		800 00
" Interest on Notes		438 94
" Interest on Surplus Revenue—		
Atlantic City	$147 86	
Absecon Town	13 33	
Galloway Township	67 78	
Egg Harbor Township	108 97	
Egg Harbor City	43 60	
Weymouth Township	18 83	
Buena Vista Township	21 87	
Hamilton Township	40 20	
Mullica Township	23 30	
Hammonton Township	49 07	
		534 81

Paid Justices' Costs	$445 80
" Constables' Costs	706 73
" Printing and Advertising	235 61
" Stationery and Books	1,444 41
" Coroners and Physicians	630 14
" Jail and Boarding Prisoners	3,061 28
" Election Expenses	476 40
" Lunatic Asylum	3,131 07
" Court Expenses	5,626 60
" Clerk of Board	152 00
" County Collector	395 50
" Expenses of Board	596 34
" L. A. Downs, Indexing Records	2,500 00
" County Solicitor	17 40
" Freight Bills	44 72
" School Examination Orders	42 00
" Costs Distributing Laws	7 00
" County Orders	2,551 44
" Expense Ascertaining Boundary Line	123 82
" County Notes	17,850 00
Total	$64,843 12

Paid School Orders—	
Absecon Town	$452 35
Atlantic City	5,494 50
Buena Vista Township	1,450 00
Egg Harbor "	4,312 71
" " City	1,588 46
Galloway Township	3,169 89
Hamilton "	1,910 81
Mullica "	1,100 00
Weymouth "	1,100 00
Hammonton "	1,634 51
Total	$22,213 23
Paid Weymouth Township School Order, 1883	500 00

Total Amount Paid Out for Year ending May 12th, 1885—	
Sundry Expenses	$64,843 12
School Orders	22,713 23
Total	$87,556 35

GEO. F. CURRIE, *Director of Board,*
Atlantic City, N. J.

TOWN OF ABSECON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$122,555.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$30,420.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.65 per hundred.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
For Schools	$500 00
" Roads	450 00
" Town	250 00
" Dogs	22 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 1st, 1885—

Schools	$1,016 27
Roads	441 30
Town	372 96
Poor	24 00
Paid County Collector	1,472 68

WM. ROBINSON,
Absecon, Atlantic County, N. J.

TOWN OF HAMMONTON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$430,450.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$72,200, less deduction for debt of $24,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.99 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised for 1885—

State School	$1,099 82
County	2,410 24
Town Purposes	700 00
Highway Purposes	2,000 00
Poor Purposes	250 00
Extra School	3,044 15

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 19th, 1885—

School	$3,825 31
Town Purposes	530 07
Poor Purposes	261 68
Highway Purposes	1,937 64
Contingent Expenses	528 02
County	2,683 57

The item of Contingent Expenses of last year consists of Purchase of Town Lot, $400, which was voted to be paid out of Surplus Funds on hand	$400 00
Also, Refunding Money or Tax Sale	58 02
Also, Payment of Bill for Surveying Highway	50 00
And Attorney's Fees in Contesting Bill for Surveying Highway	20 00
	$528 02

JAMES H. SEELY, *President of Council,*
Hammonton, Atlantic County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF BUENA VISTA.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$191,237.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$8,180.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.92 on $100 valuation.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School Tax	$499 54
County Tax	1,177 83
County Poor Tax	242 20
Township Tax	1,914 25
Special School Tax	28 88
	$3,862 70

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending January 17th, 1885—	
County Tax and State School Tax	$1,919 57
Schools	1,635 61
Roads	924 72
Township Expenses	343 12
Town Poor	55 10
	$4,878 12

IRWIN S. PIERCE,
Vineland, Cumberland Co., N. J.

EGG HARBOR TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Floating Debt—$2,778.43. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—6c.
Purpose for which contracted—Various Items. Falls Due—All due.
Amount of Sinking Fund—$500. Composed of Notes.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$562,051.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$127,185.
Rate of Tax Levied—$2.211.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School Tax	$1,724 09
Township School Tax	1,650 00
Township Tax	5,550 00
County Tax	4,908 77
Dog Tax	113 00
Fees and Losses	1,433 29
Total	$15,379 15

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 6th, 1885—	
For State and County	$6,632 86
School Orders	4,862 49
Taken off by Commissioners of Appeal	153 84
Road Purposes	2,165 39
Principal and Interest	485 80
Dog and Poll taken off by Commissioners	12 00
General Township Purposes	1,353 25
On back County Tax	1,728 17

NATHANIEL DISBROW, *Chairman*,
Egg Harbor Township, Atlantic Co., N. J.; Post-office, Smith's Landing.

TOWNSHIP OF GALLOWAY.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$317,018.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$56,445.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.16.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School	$947 31
Township School	600 00
County Poor	459 81
County Proper	2,335 90

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 4th, 1885—

EXPENDITURES FOR TOWNSHIP PURPOSES.

Road Purposes	$419 02
Township Committee and Clerk's Fees	212 02
Annual Town Meeting	42 91
Collector, for Paying Out School Funds for 1883	39 68
Commissioners of Appeal and Clerk	12 00
Legal Advice	37 90
Guide-boards	83 00
Relief of Township Poor	82 86
Treasurer's Salary	50 00
Expense Incidental to Supreme Court Suits	19 45
Additional Fees Paid ex-Tax Collectors for handling School Fund, amount due under late decisions	120 92
Expenses for Selling Township Lands	12 57
Janitor's Fees, Fuel, Printing, Publishing, Stationery, Postage, etc	63 05
Assessor's and Collector's Fees and Expenses	391 25
	$1,586 63

The sum of $800 of the foregoing amount of township expenses was appropriated by a vote of the inhabitants, and the balance was appropriated by a vote of the Township Committee, from surplus funds in the township treasury.

Amount expended for township school purposes, $1,200, $600 of which was raised by taxation and the balance of which was appropriated, by the inhabitants, from surplus funds in the township treasury, in addition to amount of appropriations above stated.

Expended for State School Tax	$937 31
" " County Poor "	459 81
" " County Proper "	2,335 90

JAMES G. STRICKLAND,

Chairman of the Township Committee of the Township of Galloway, Atlantic County, N. J.

Post-office address, Leeds Point, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF HAMILTON.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$1,015.67. Composed of cash in Treasurer's hands. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—Accumulated from excess of receipts over expenditures, and used to pay bills of the township when contracted, without waiting for taxes to be collected.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$268,385.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—104,205.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.76.

Amount of Tax Raised—		
Township School		$800 00
State School		932 46
County		2,653 44
Township—Poor	$50 00	
Roads	1,500 00	
Expenses of Township	500 00	
		2,050 00
Poll Tax		333 00
Dog Tax		71 50
Losses		114 57
Total		$6,954 97

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 5th, 1885—

We annex to this the reports of the Township Collector and Township Treasurer, which will best show the Receipts and Expenditures of our township:

L. B. Corson, Township Collector.

DR.

To Balance Due on Taxes for year 1883	$790 46
" Amount Taxes Assessed for year 1884	6,954 97
" " " " School District No. 38	273 78
" " " " " " " 39	28 04
" " " " " " " 13	9 47
" " " Added by Collector	26 28
" " " " " Commissioner of Appeal	50
" " Interest Collected	21 64
Total	$8,105 14

CR.

By Cash paid D. E. Iszard, Treasurer, on Taxes 1883	$272 18
" Amount of Uncollected Taxes for 1883	518 28
" " paid County Collector, County and School Tax,	3,585 90
" " to Credit of Township School Fund	800 00
" " " School District No. 38	250 00
" " " " " " 39	25 00
" " " " " " 13	7 65
" " paid D. E. Iszard, Treas., on Taxes for 1884	1,880 39
" " taken from Duplicate by Com. of Appeal	20 58
" " of Uncollected Taxes for 1884	745 16
Total	$8,105 14

SCHOOL MONEY.

DR.

Cash from D. E. Iszard, late Collector	$1,995 94
" " State Appropriation	125 68
" " Township School Tax	800 00
" " School District No. 35	77 86
" " " " " 38	250 00
" " " " " 39	25 00
" " " " " 13	7 65
" " Surplus Revenue	43 90
" " State School Tax	1,785 13
Total	$5,111 16

CR.

Cash paid as per vouchers	$3,298 21
Balances in Collector's hands	1,812 95
Total	$5,111 16

Report of D. E. Iszard, Township Treasurer.

RECEIPTS.

Balance Due Township at last report	$263 91
Amount Received for Fines	10 00
" " " Sale of Lands	18 00
" " of B. G. Peck, late Collector	428 74
" " " L. B. Corson, Collector	2,202 57
Total	$2,923 22

EXPENDITURES.

Amount paid for Election Expenses		$25 50
" " " Returning Taxes		10 00
" " " Rent		20 00
" " " Premium on Foxes		21 00
" " " " " Hawks		6 25
" " " Printing		7 00
" " " Sheep Killed by Dogs		27 00
" " " Board of Health		10 00
" " " Poor Account		77 22
" " " Township Assessor		120 18
" " " late Collector's fees		95 74
" " " Township Treasurer		25 00
" " " " Attorney		20 00
" " " " Clerk		18 00
" " " " Committee		80 00
" " " Commissioner of Appeal		15 00
" " " Roads—District No. 1	$307 34	
" " 2	499 22	
" " 3	450 61	
" " 4	72 49	
Total for Roads		1,329 66
Balance in Treasury		1,015 67
Total		$2,923 22

C. W. ABBOTT, *Chairman Township Committee,*
Mays Landing, Atlantic County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF MULLICA.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$19,110.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$11,315.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.61½.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School	$488 40
County	1,151 51
Poor	236 80
Township School	500 00
Roads	500 00
Poor	50 00
Repairs, $15; 10 per cent, $271.17; Collector and Assessor, $124.32	410 49

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 11th, 1885—	
County and State	$1,500 00
Township Treasurer	1,712 38
School Orders	1,813 10

J. R. ABBOTT,
Pleasant Mills, Mullica Township, Atlantic Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF WEYMOUTH.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$192,180.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$42,905.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.62.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Amount of Duplicate for 1884	$4,002 32
Special Tax for School District No. 25	212 73
" " " " " 24	72 33
Balance Due on Taxes for 1883	285 16
Cash from Late Collector	715 86
Added to Duplicate by the Com	17 72
Surplus Revenue	19 70
	$5,382 53

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 14th, 1885—	
Orders from Late Collector	$250 00
Paid County Collector	2,262 78
" for Schools	888 45
" " Roads	975 95
Assessor's and Collector's Services	146 78
Committee and Clerk Fees	46 50
Premium Orders	25 25
Deducted by the Commissioners of Appeal	28 15
Election Bill for Township Meeting	18 00
Relief of Poor	6 50

Printing Tax Notices	$6 00
Rent of House for Township Purposes	15 00
Commissioners of Appeal Bill	9 00
Non resident Taxpayers	3 00
County Clerk's Bill for Registering Taxes	2 00
Blacksmith Bill	2 00
Balance in Treasury	699 22
	$5,382 53

JOHN GODFREY, *Chairman of Committee,*
Cape May Co., New Jersey.

BERGEN COUNTY.

BOROUGH OF RUTHERFORD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$340,860.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$31,875.
Rate of Tax Levied (Borough Purposes)—.0044.

Amount of Tax Raised—		
General Borough Tax	$1,500 00	
Ten per cent. Contingencies	139 85	
		$1,639 85
Roads estimated		1,300 00

NOTE.—This Road Tax is dependent, as to amount, upon general Township Expenses, under special law (now repealed) relating to Union Township.

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 1st, 1885—		
Lamps—Lighting	$655 53	
Repairs	56 65	
Construction	30 30	
		$742 48
Salaries and Fees—Collector	$52 53	
Assessor	19 50	
Clerk	30 00	
		102 03
General Expenses		393 63
Roads—Crosswalks	$271 27	
Permanent Improvements	738 84	
Repairs, &c	378 88	
		1,390 68

NOTE.—By act of 1885 the legal voters, at annual election, fix by vote the amount of Road Tax to be assessed and collected with the borough.

LUTHER SHAFER, *Mayor,*
Rutherford, Bergen county, N. J.

Dated October 1st, 1885.

TOWNSHIP OF ENGLEWOOD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,968,350.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$313,600.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County Tax	$9,564 30
Bounty and Interest	4,522 69
Poor and Township Taxes	4,000 00
State School (on valuation)	4,581 75
Poll Tax	996 00
Special School Tax	4,576 00
" Road "	7,500 00
Dog Tax	120 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March, 1885—	
Poor and Township	$1,522 18
Election Purposes	106 00

HENRY R. BAILEY, *Chairman.*

TOWNSHIP OF HARRINGTON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$965,250
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$190,250.
Rate of Tax Levied—Average, $1.38 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$4,122 22
Bounty and Interest	2,440 78
County Poor	701 94
State School	3,054 78
Special "	2,812 04
" Road	4,069 26
Polls	614 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 6th, 1885—	
County, Bounty and Poor Tax	$6,949 01
State School	2,987 57
District "	5,521 29
Roads	3,850 00
Township	2,188 74

JOHN H. MENEE, *Chairman,*
River Vale, Bergen Co., N. J.

HOHOKUS TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable, 1884—$11,298.86.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$1,815.98.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.86 per $100 ($13,114.84).

Amount of Tax Raised—

Poll Tax	$675 00
School	2,828 37
County	4,848 80
Bounty	2,828 37
Road	4,175 95
Poor and Township	1,067 29

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 14th, 1885—

Whole Amount of Duplicate	$13,261 84

Paid County Collector	$11,011 86
Paid Township Committee	500 00
Deducted by Commissioners of Appeal	178 20
To be Collected on Warrant	1,175 77
Cash in Hand	396 01
	$13,261 84

School Report—

Received from ex-Collector	$2,791 65
" " Surplus Revenue	137 22
" " State Tax	2,940 80
State Apportionment	233 93
	$6,103 60

Paid School Districts	$3,588 06
Balance on Hand	2,515 54
	$6,103 60

Road Report—

Amount Assessed	$4,175 92

Worked by Inhabitants	$3,677 12
Amount to be Collected	498 80
	$4,175 92

Dog Tax—

Amount Assessed	$99 75

In Hands of Collector	$74 50
To be Collected	25 25
	$99 75

JOHN J. BUSH, *Chairman*,
County of Bergen, Township of Hohokus, Ramsey's P. O.

TOWNSHIP OF LODI.

Amount of Funded Debt—None.
Amount of Floating Debt—None.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$690,515.25.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$88.060.
Rate of Tax Levied—$2.357 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$2,960 42
Bounty and Interest	1,869 27
Poor Tax	369 27
State School	1,869 27
Poll Tax	713 00
Township Tax	1,500 00
Fire Tax	748 47
District School Tax	5,651 88
Road Tax	3,039 54
Hackensack Commission	344 52
Dog Tax	134 50

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February, 1885—

County Tax	$2,777 55
Bounty and Interest	1,601 88
Poor Tax	301 46
State School	1,599 32
Poll Tax	713 00
Fire Tax	550 00
District School Tax	5,160 80
Road Tax	3,003 63
Hackensack Commission	321 57
Township Purposes	1,035 34

L. H. OLMSTEAD, *Chairman*,
Corona, Lodi Township, County of Bergen.

TOWNSHIP OF MIDLAND.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$770,995.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$205,950.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.16 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Poll Tax	$403 00
State School	2,139 82
Bounty and Interest	2,139 82
County	3,501 52
Poor and Township	972 65
Road Tax	2,528 87
Special School	1,719 26
Dog Tax	58 50
	$13,463 44

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 9th, 1885—

RECEIPTS.

Amount Assessed on Duplicate, 1884	$13,463 44	
" " by Collector	15 64	
		$13,479 08
Deducted by Commissioners of Appeals	$6 96	
" " Committee	34 84	
Amount Uncollected	1,130 21	
		1,172 01
Total Collected on Taxes of 1884 at date		$12,307 07
Received on Warrants of 1882 and 1883	$2,027 08	
" State School Appropriation	1,997 95	
Balance on hand	2,907 74	
		6,932 77
Total Resources 1884		$19,239 84

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid J. W. Bogert, County Collector, Balance, 1883	$804 85
" " " " Taxes, 1884	8,248 61
" H. C. Herring, Town Treasurer	3,406 87
" School District Clerks	3,827 03
" Commissioners of Appeals	9 00
Balance on hand	2,943 48
	$19,239 84

JOHN R. OLDIS, *Chairman*,
Rochelle Park, Bergen County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF NEW BARBADOES.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,113,450.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$299,315.
Rate of Tax Levied—Not Uniform. School District No. 10, $1.12 per $100; No. 31, $3 20; No. 32, $3.52; No 33, $2.90; No. 33½, $0.90.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$4,884 20
Bounty and Interest	2,816 84
Poor and Township	730 10
State School	3,751 32
Road, $100; Poll, $946	1,046 00
Dogs	145 50
Hackensack Improvement Commission	7,872 80
Fire	1,968 20
Sewer Bonds	10,058 28
Total Amount Received for Interest and Costs for Taxes, 1884	34 06

Also 1879, 1882, 1883	$67 69
Total Amount Received by Two-mill Tax Surplus Revenue and State Appropriation	4,828 77
Special School Tax	7,282 13
Interest on School Bonds	2,289 25
	$48,775 14

Total Amount for School Purposes	$14,526 83
Total Amount Paid Assessor and Collector of Township	824 51
Paid for Printing	70 85
Firemen's Exemption	173 49
Commissioners of Appeal	9 00
Paid Hackensack Improvement Commission	20,484 28
Total Amount Paid County Collector	11,982 46
	$48,071 42

PATRICK J. BYRNES, *Chairman.*

TOWNSHIP OF PALISADES.

Amount of Floating Debt—Fifty-six hundred dollars ($5,600). Composed of Road Bonds. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Repair of Highways. Falls Due—June 1st, 1886.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$964,000.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$136,600.

Rate of Tax Levied—Noted below.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County	$4,612 92	@	43c.	per $100
Bounty and Interest	2,181 33		21c.	"
Township Tax	200 00		2c.	"
State School	2,209 57		21c.	"
Special "	4,636 00	average	22c.	"
Road and Road Board	5,800 00	"	50c.	"
Special Poor	434 45		44c.	"

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September 1st, 1885—

The whole amount of expenditures is $1,424.37.

JAMES C. COOPER, *Chairman,*
River Edge, Palisades Township, Bergen Co., N. J.

RIDGEFIELD TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,444,350.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$287,475.

Rate of Tax Levied—$2.27.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$6,178 24
Bounty and Interest	3,563 15
State School	3,557 43
Special Poor	692 73
Roads	12,000 00
Schools	5,010 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 16th, 1885—	
Poor Purposes	$1,015 40
Township Expenses	1,301 41
	$2,316 81

FRED'K GRACE, *Chairman*,
Fort Lee P. O., Bergen Co., N. J.

RIDGEWOOD TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$605,100.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$78,000.
Rate of Tax Levied, exclusive of Special School—$0.93½.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$2,821 19
Bounty and Interest	1,512 56
Township	438 02
State School	1,512 56
Special Road	1,512 56
Polls	359 00
	$8,155 89
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
Extra Road Work	$143 43
Officers' Fees	501 54
Issuing Tax Warrants	5 44
Taxes and Repairs to Township Property	52 22
Printing, Postage and Stationery	17 40
County Clerk	3 10
Election Expenses	25 00
Counsel Fees	135 00
Extra Expense Surveying Yeoman's Road	30 00
Commissioner taking Testimony in Yeoman Case	41 40
Extra Expense for Damage done by Dogs	51 25
	$1,005 78

ALFRED DEBAUN, *Chairman*,
Ridgewood, Bergen Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF SADDLE RIVER.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$571,360.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$46,480.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.61.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School and Polls, $1,627.14; County Tax, $2,204.13...	$3,831 27
Bounty and Interest, $1,271.18; Poor Tax, $239.24.....	1,510 42
Road Tax.....	2,000 00
Township Purposes.....	800 00
Schools.....	1,818 67
	$9,960 36

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
Paid County Collector.....	$5,747 36
" Roads	2,000 00
" Township Purposes.....	800 00
	$8,547 36

G. B. ACKERMAN, *Chairman*,
Rochelle Park, Midland Township, Bergen County.

TOWNSHIP OF UNION.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$968,375.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$68,590.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.30.

Amount of Tax Raised—		
County Tax		$3,940 20
Bounty and Interest.....		2,302 92
Township		4,563 65
State School.....		2,302 92
Special School.....		7,132 44
Poor		436 00
Borough.....		1,500 00
Dog.....		273 75
Poll		635 00
		$23,086 88

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 12th, 1885—		
Working Roads.....		$2,029 98
Township Officers' Salaries, etc.....		1,201 58
Printing, Advertising, etc.....		363 66
Poor Bills.....		58 13
Rent.....		25 00
County Clerk, Recording Fees.....		13 30
Sundries.....		18 00
County Collector.....		9,017 61
Schools, District 38	$751 94	
" 39	2,584 30	
" 40	4,271 94	
" 40½.....	2,398 26	
" 41	1,347 78	
		11,354 22
Appropriation of Road Moneys to Borough.....		1,000 00
		$25,083 48

CHAS. F. HARRINGTON, *Chairman Township Committee*,
Rutherford, Bergen Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,369,635.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$236,180.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.92.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Poll	$691 00
County	5,740 74
State School	2,749 79
Bounty	2,714 64
Poor	1,046 92
Township	500 00
	$13,443 09

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year Ending February 7th, 1885—

Roads	$723 37
Poor	211 07
Printing	39 45
Assessor's Fees	204 57
Committee Fees	64 00
Election Expenses	63 00
Commissioner of Appeal	6 00
Clerk's Fees	93 03
Property Bought	127 15
Collector's Fees	226 38
Township Treasurer	25 00
Township Expenses	56 18
	$1,839 20

JOHN H. WORTENDYKE,
Pascack, Bergen Co., N. J.

BURLINGTON COUNTY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$211,031.67. Composed of Surplus Revenue to Schools, $72,731.67; Bonds, Five per cent., $20,200; Bonds, Seven per cent, $118,100. Rate of interest on Funded Debt—Five and Seven per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—War Debt. Falls Due—Bonds, Five per cent, $20,200, January 1st, 1886; Bonds, Seven per cent., $60,400, January 1st, 1887; Bonds, Seven per cent., $57,700, January 1st, 1890.

Total Amount of Taxable Property—$25,399,764.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$21,213,795.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$8,022,790.
Rate of Tax Levied—$70.87.

Amount of Tax Raised—

School	$64,888 31
County	115,111 66

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year Ending May 13th, 1885—

Bridges	$24,574 18
Draw-Bridge Tender's Salary	1,351 50
Coroners' Expenses	541 26
Burlington County Children's Home	587 00
Joseph Regan, Rent, Collector's Office	80 00
Levi French, County Clerk, Indexing Lunacy proofs, &c.	262 39
Levi French, County Clerk, Removal Expenses and Incidentals County Clerk's Office	305 93
Courts	16,394 69
Interest on Bonds	11,234 00
Bonds Paid	19,500 00
School Superintendent, Salary and Expenses	1,500 00
County Examiners, Schools	143 24
Court House, Public Buildings	4,884 25
Workhouse	712 40
Poor Bills	268 77
Books and Stationery	82 60
New Jersey State Lunatic Asylum	5,102 17
Almshouse	9,189 64
Printing Bills	2,083 55
Salaries Paid Officers	3,050 00
Freeholders' Personal Bills	4,114 79
Election Expenses	1,144 75
Surplus Revenue to Schools	4,363 92
State Appropriation to Schools	4,391 86
State School Orders	58,216 18
Reserve School Orders	4,990 47
Sheriff Keeping Prisoners	5,670 08
Notes Paid	41,000 00
State School Tax	64,684 64
New County Clerk's Office, Hazelhurst & Huckel, architects,	605 40
W. J. Flannagan, Contractor	9,038 48
Joseph Parry, copying contract	4 00
Samuel N. Rockhill, Furniture and Gas Fixtures	580 00
Expenses, Building Committee, &c	131 07
Miscellaneous	91 46
Union Fire Company	100 00
License Returned, Chas. A. Lehman, Collector	30 00
Burial of Deceased Soldiers	315 00
Tombstones for Deceased Soldiers	27 00
Reward for Capturing Escaped Prisoners	100 00
Post Mortems	176 00
C. F. Gaskill, ex-Freeholder	14 38
Patrick Martin, ex-Freeholder	28 25
Removing Cellar-way, Court House	74 48
Collins & Bullock, Painting	150 00
J. R. Ivins, Fish Warden	161 00
Joseph H. Gaskill, Counsel Fee	24 00
James E. Otis, Freeholder, Expenses Determining County Line	56 75
Henry S Haines, Surveyor, County Line	28 78
Joseph H. Gaskill, Services Determining County Line	34 27
	$302,194 58

WM. H. KALE, *Director of Board of Chosen Freeholders,*
Florence, Burlington Co., N. J.

CITY OF BEVERLY.

Amount of Floating Debt—$1,000. Composed of one Bond. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Seven per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—General. Falls Due—1887.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—
Amount of Personal Property Taxable— } $460,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.50.
Amount of Tax Raised—$6,900.

E. S. McELROY,
Beverly, Burlington Co., N. J.

CITY OF BORDENTOWN.

Amount of Floating Debt—$142.60. Composed of Bills Payable. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—None. Purpose for which Contracted—Ordinary. Falls Due—Now.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$982,450.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$230,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.65 on the $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Cash on hand April 7th, 1884	$3,134 01
Raised from Tax Assessments	8,120 24
" " Licenses, Fines, &c	1,262 40
Receipts	$12,516 65
Expenditures	7,502 65
Cash on hand	$5,014 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending April 7th, 1885—	
Police	$1,472 75
Streets	1,321 98
Lamps and Gas	1,856 41
Fire and Water	133 26
City Property	99 15
Printing	124 63
Bond and Interest	1,353 12
Miscellaneous	1,141 35
	$7,502 65
Liabilities—	
Bills Payable	$142 60
Assets—	
Amount of cash on hand	$5,014 00
Amount due on Tax Warrant	622 31
Real Estate and Rent due from same	487 00
	$6,123 31

Certified to by J. O. HUDSON, *Mayor.*
DAVID T. WAKER, *City Recorder.*

CITY OF BURLINGTON.

Amount of Funded Debt—$47,800. Composed of Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—4 and 5 per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—$32,300 for Refunding Obligations, $3,500 for Fire Department, and $3,000 for Draining Low Lands. Falls Due—$32,300, September 1st, 1889; $3,500, June 1st, 1910; $12,000, July 1st, 1901.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$2,000. Composed of Cash. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—To liquidate debts of city as they mature.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—
Amount of Personal Property Taxable— } $2,056,208.
Rate of Tax Levied—82 cents on the $100.

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 9th, 1885—

Interest on City Debt	$2,148 50
Salaries	1,224 79
Police	2,530 05
Lamps	723 62
License Returned	36 00
Public Buildings	1,153 58
Election Expenses	362 34
Streets and Wharves	932 22
Street Commissioners	1,344 79
Gas Department	4,463 79
Sinking Fund	2,000 00
Fire Department	1,719 00
Meadow Drainage	1,200 00
Binney Fund	169 50
Sundries	513 83
	$20,585 00

ALBERT H. SILPATH, *Mayor.*

BOROUGH OF PEMBERTON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$146,800.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$140,000.

May 5th, 1884. Balance in Treasury	$342 33
Received from Sundry Small Accounts	7 28
" " Township Road Money (2 years)	557 77
	$907 38

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 4th, 1885—

Building a new Engine House	$517 76
Furnishing " " "	37 75
Maintenance of Streets	85 35
Lighting Streets	77 04
Salaries, Lamplighter	84 00
" Marshal, $25; Clerk and Treasurer, $10	35 00
Election Expenses, $3; Commitments to Jail, $4.85	7 85
Total Expenses	$844 75
Balance	62 63

ELWOOD DOBBINS, *Chief Burgess,*
Pemberton, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF BASS RIVER.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$212,049. Bond and Mortgage—$6,130.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$47,886. Total Debt—$6,130.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.34.

Amount of Tax Raised—
County, $0.45; School, $0.26; Township, $0.63; Total, $1.34.
Amount of Tax Ordered to be Raised—$3,863.80.
Total Value Taxable—$253,805.

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September 30th, 1885—

County Tax	$1,145 78
School	645 95
Township Roads	1,380 00
General Township Purposes	450 00
Special School Tax, District No. 41	209 13
Incidentals	32 94

Polls—254.

JOSEPH B. CRAMER, *Chairman*,
New Gretna P. O., Burlington Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF BEVERLY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$2,600. Composed of twenty-six $100 Bonds, payable by School District No. 16; about two-fifths in Beverly Township and three-fifths in Beverly City. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Building a School-house. Falls Due—In 1885 and 1886.

Amount of Floating Debt—$600. Composed of one Promissory Note. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—To be used for roads until road money collected. Falls Due—January 1st, 1886.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$517,300.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$44,500.

Rate of Tax Levied—School District No. 16, $1.40 on $100; School District No. 17, $1.10 on $100; School District No. 18, $0.82 on $100, and $0.01⅓ per front foot of street.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County and State School	$4,138 98
Township	200 00
Roads	1,000 00
Beverly School, Special	590 00
Delanco School, Special	100 00
River School, Special	75 00
Delanco Streets	200 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 10th, 1885—

Township Account	$616 15
Road Account	1,025 97
Delanco Street Account	200 00
Beverly School Building Account	1,878 00
River School District No. 17	416 99
Delanco " " " 18	630 23
Beverly " " " 16	355 00

HENRY C. ADAMS,
Burlington Co., Beverly Township, Edgewater Park P. O.

TOWNSHIP OF BURLINGTON.

Amount of Funded Debt—$18,600. Composed of Bonds of Burlington Township. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—$15,600 at 4 per cent.; $3,000 at 5 per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Purchase of Turnpike Roads, and Refunding Obligation, June 1st, 1882. Falls Due—$3,000, April 25th, 1891; $15,600, June 1st, 1887, and payable June 1st, 1902.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$3,000. Composed of Cash deposited in Burlington Savings Institution. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—To pay off the Bonded Debt at maturity; $1,000 raised each year for that purpose.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—
Amount of Personal Property Taxable— } $2,795,585.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.24 for Township Purposes; $0.71 for County, &c.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Roads	$1,500 00
Poor	1,500 00
Interest	774 00
Sinking Fund	1,000 00
Salaries	675 00
Miscellaneous	600 00
Elections	240 00
Assessor and Collector	700 00
Printing	400 00
Graveling	300 00
Physicians' Bills	400 00
For County	12,046 34
" School	6,757 25

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 14th, 1885—

Roads	$1,571 60
Poor	1,301 22
Interest	786 00
Sinking Fund	1,000 00
Salaries	650 00
Miscellaneous	279 52
Elections	230 64
Physicians' Bills	400 00
Extra Physicians' Bills	130 00
Printing	249 01
Graveling	315 27

H. K. HAYS, *Chairman Township Committee,*
Burlington, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF CHESTERFIELD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,080,021
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$110,563.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.90.
Amount of Tax Raised—$10,715.26.

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

State School	$3,046 70	
County	5,431 44	
Roads	1,200 00	
Poor	120 00	
		$9,798 14
Township		917 12

T. W. RIDGWAY,
Recklesstown, Burlington Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF CINNAMINSON.

Amount of Floating Debt—$100. Composed of one note. Purpose for which contracted, to meet deficiency. Falls due on demand.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$796,234.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$131,925.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.88 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

For County	$4,204 33
For Schools	2,375 21
For Roads	1,500 00
Current Expenses	1,100 00
	$9,209 54

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending Feb. 14th, 1885—

Paid State and County Tax	$6,609 54
For Repairing Roads	1,524 00
Assessor	144 00
Collector	167 00
Relief of Poor	90 00
Township Committee	85 00
Clerk	28 00
For Awards on New Roads	300 00
Amount Paid Town Physician	25 00
For Damages by Dogs	71 00
For Hall Rent	35 00
For Salaries of Constables	25 00
For Ground Rent of "Lockup"	20 00
For Burying Paupers	12 00
Taxes Remitted	50 22
Other Incidental Expenses	6 05
Balance in Treasury	17 73
	$9,209 54

CLAYTON CONROW, *Chairman*,
Cinnaminson, Burlington County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF EASTHAMPTON.

Amount of Floating Debt—$200. Composed of—Two Notes of $100 each. First Note, February 21st, 1883; Second Note, April 23d, 1885. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—For General Expenditures. Falls Due—First Note, February 21st, 1886; Second Note, April 23d, 1886.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$241,815.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$119,782.

Rate of Tax Levied—State School and County, 70.87; Township, 16; Special School, District No. 35, 20.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School	$923 88
For County	1,638 75
For Township	800 00
Special School Tax	350 00
Total	$3,712 63

BENJ. T. CROZIER,
Easthampton Township, Smithville, Burlington County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF EVESHAM.

Amount of Floating Debt—$800. Composed of Bonds. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Building. Falls due—Yearly.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$843,088.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$297,945.

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.88.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$4,498 37
School	2,536 04
Township	1,649 66
Poll	402 00
Dog	138 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 14th, 1885—	
Roads	$580 74
Damages (new road)	200 60
Officers' fees	596 62
Relief of Poor	92 00
Sheep Bills	48 00
Bond	100 00
Interest	54 00
Printing	29 50
Gravel	36 00
Drain Pipe	16 20
Incidentals	58 74
Total Expenses	$1,812 40

R. A. FOWLER, *Chairman.*
Marlton, Burlington Co., N. J.

FLORENCE TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$476,346
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	112,563
	$588,909
Deduction on Bond and Mortgage and Notes	77,259
	$511,650

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.92.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$0.4532
School	0.2555
Township	0.2113
	$0.9200

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 12th, 1885—	
Township	$500 00
Township Roads	600 00
	$1,100 00

NEWTON MORTON,
Florence, Burlington Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF LITTLE EGG HARBOR.

Amount of Funded Debt—$361.37. Composed of Notes of Hand. Back County Tax. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Turnpiking Roads. Falls Due on Demand.

Amount of Floating Debt—$4,056.39. Composed of Notes of Hand. Back County Tax. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Turnpiking Roads, Back County Tax. Falls Due on Demand.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$308,635.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$120,745.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.18.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Township	$1,950 00
County	2,873 89
State School	1,032 76

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 15th, 1885—	
County Tax	$2,873 89
Roads	846 60
Poor	151 21
Printing	20 75
Officers' Salaries	463 46
Interest on Notes	233 50
Township Indebtedness	300 00
Back County Tax	61 37

Rent of Hall	$25 00
Lighting Lamps	50 32
Counsel Fees	10 00
Scow Landing Dock	30 90
Sheep Bills	60 00
Incidentals	10 43

JACOB PIEBAND, *Chairman of Committee,*
Tuckerton, Burlington Co.

LUMBERTON TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable		$815,650 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable		103,454 00
		$919,104 00
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.90 on the $100		$8,271 94
Amount of Tax Raised—		
For County	$4,165 38	
" School	2,348 32	
		6,513 70
		$1,758 24
" Township Purposes	$800 00	
" Roads, $600; Constable, $100	700 00	
" Poor, $300; Doctors, $100	400 00	
		1,900 00
		$141 76
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—		
For Roads		$590 00
" Constable		100 00
" Poor		225 00
" Doctors		100 00
" Township Purposes		800 00
		$1,815 00

SAM'L T. ENGLE, *Chairman,*
Lumberton P. O., Township of Lumberton.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT LAUREL.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$872,995.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$435,025.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.75.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Poor	$75 00
Roads	800 00
Incidentals	200 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 16th, 1885—

Poor Account	$51 91
Dog and Sheep Account	57 00
Road Account	1,201 98
General and Miscellaneous Purposes	457 23
	$1,768 12

HOWARD DARNELL, *Chairman of Township Committee,*
Mount Laurel, Burlington Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF NEW HANOVER.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,388,687.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$244,381.
Rate of Tax Levied—88 cents per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County and State	$7,414 45
School	4,159 05
Township	2,728 81
	$14,302 31

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending April 15th, 1885—

Roads	$1,550 00
Poor Account	241 26
Fees of Township Officers	526 71
Wrightstown Hill	113 88
Use of Hotel	80 00
Printing	53 93
Taken off by Commissioners of Appeal	203 96
	$2,774 74

LORENZO D. WOODWARD, *Chairman,*
Cookstown, Burlington Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF NORTHAMPTON.

Amount of Floating Debt—$17,631.35. Composed of Notes. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—4, 5, and 6 per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—War. Falls Due—Now.
Amount of Sinking Fund—$9,788.04. Composed of Unpaid Taxes and Principal.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$1,113,439	
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	944,399	
		$2,057,838

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.20.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
For County	$9,326 12
" State School	5,257 77
" Special School	2,000 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
Appropriation for Fire Companies	$1,000 00
" " Debt and Interest	2,886 94
" " Water	200 00
" " Physicians	300 00
" " Poor	850 00
" " Roads	500 00
" " Gas, Oil and Repairs	1,250 00
" " Police and Lamplighters	900 00
" " Salaries and rent	1,300 00
" " Incidentals	300 00
" " Paving Streets	3,300 00
" " Repairing Streets	300 00

GEO. O. MORRIS, *Chairman*,
Mount Holly, Burlington Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF RANDOLPH.

Amount of Funded Debt—$977.71. Composed of Township Notes; to John Cavileer—$594.55; to John Cavileer—$383.16. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—6 per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Balance of one-half of Original Debt of Washington Township, Contracted to Raise Substitutes in War of the Rebellion. Falls Due—1881.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—23,622 Acres; Value, $98,735.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$15,850.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.10 on $100 of Valuation.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Township Purposes	$250 00
Road Purposes	120 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
Township Purposes	$250 00
Road Purposes	120 00

JAS. A. GALE, *Chairman*,
Wading River P. O., Randolph Township, Burlington Co., New Jersey.

TOWNSHIP OF SHAMONG.

Amount of Floating Debt—$1,175. Composed of Promissory Notes.
Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Five per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—General Township Purposes. Falls Due—April 1st, 1886.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$295,550 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	42,100 00
	$337,650 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.10.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Officers' Fees	$200 00
Roads	1,200 00
Poor	100 00
	$1,500 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Officers and Incidentals	$327 55
Roads	1,115 50
Poor	75 64
County, State and School Tax	2,494 49
	$4,013 18

ELI BOWKER, *Chairman*,
Tabernacle, Shamong Township, Burlington County, N. J.

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$48,815.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$8,500.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.50.

Amount of Tax Raised ($946.84)—

Township	$525 00
County	259 75
School	146 44

FRANK SOOY,
Batsto, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF WOODLAND.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$121,981.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$5,550.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.40.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School Tax	$321 73
County " "	573 55
Ordered Raised for Roads	500 00
Incidentals	300 00
Poor	60 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending October 1st, 1885—

State and County Tax	$895 28
Roads	444 47
Poor	75 00
Incidentals	300 00

ANDREW D. LULL,
Woodland Township, Shamong P. O.

CAMDEN COUNTY.

CITY OF CAMDEN.

Amount of Funded Debt—$1,200,300. Composed of Camden City Bonds. (See folios 6 and 7 of City Treasurer's report accompanying this statement). Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Four per cent., six per cent., seven per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—(See folio 4 of Treasurer's report). Falls Due—(See folio 7 of Treasurer's report).

Amount of Floating Debt—$119,550.42. Composed of—(See folio 6, Treasurer's report). Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Five and one-half per cent. on Bills Payable; none on other debt. Purpose for which Contracted—To meet Current Obligations. Falls Due—No definite period; notes extended from time to time.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$63,485.81. (See folio 51, Treasurer's report). Composed of Account on Ledger only; no cash or other value set aside specifically. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—All Bonds, Interest and matters of like nature are charged to Sinking Fund, and all collections of all departments excepting tax, and all unexpended balances of appropriations are credited to Sinking Fund.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$13,042,820.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$1,187,420.

Rate of Tax Levied—$2.40.

Assessment made from January 1st to June 20th, each year.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Board of Education	$60,743 06
Board of Health	2,000 00
City Property	3,500 00
Contingent	2,700 00
Culvert	10,000 00
District Court	3,300 00
Election	3,300 00
Fire Department	16,000 00
Lighting	23,000 00
Police	34,600 00
Printing	3,000 00
Poor Relief	200 00
Salary	20,208 00
Streets and Highways	20,000 00
Water Department	18,000 00
County Tax	99,734 06
State School Tax	32,040 00
Special Culvert	3,000 00
Sidewalks	1,000 00
Special Emergency, Water Department	1,500 00
Repair to Wharf, Water Department	5,000 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending January 31st, 1885—	
Board of Education (Bills Payable, see folio 8, Treasurer's report, which represents renewals of notes)	$56,000 00
Board of Health	2,872 34
City Property	3,331 70
Contingent	3,191 96
Culvert	11,104 68
Coupons	82,235 50
District Court	3,300 00

Election	$3,207 50
Fire Department	16,123 06
Interest on Bills Payable	3,624 88
Lighting	25,805 51
Police	34,559 20
Printing	4,249 05
Poor Relief	2,911 48
Salary	20,604 78
Streets and Highways	20,206 95
Water Department	20,524 47
Special Culvert	3,000 00
Sidewalk	212 21
Special Emergency, Water Department	1,311 59
Repair to Wharf, Water Department	2,457 00
Transfer from Wharf to Pipe Account, expended	2,476 13

The Treasurer's year expires January 31st, 1885, while the appropriation year expires about July 15th of each year, depending upon the advertisement of the new appropriation ordinance.

In estimating the tax rate, allowance is made for incomes from collections of all the departments and the estimated amount deducted from the gross amount required for city purposes.

SAMUEL HUFTY, *City Comptroller*,
Camden, N. J.

CITY OF GLOUCESTER.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$12,309.85.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$53,256.25.
Rate of Tax Levied—$2.02 on each $100 Valuation.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$12,447 55
State Tax	3,998 76
City Purposes	17,200 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending January 31st, 1885—

Paid County	$12,447 55
Paid State	3,998 76
Paid City Purposes	16,847 60

SAMUEL MOSS, *Mayor*,
Gloucester City, Camden County, N. J.

BOROUGH OF MERCHANTVILLE.

Amount of Funded Debt—$8,500. Composed of Registered Bonds, with coupons attached; $5,000 for Building School-house; $3,500 for Borough Improvements. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five per cent. Falls Due—$6,000 in 1891, and $2,500 in 1894.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$350. Composed of Five Shares of Stock in the Merchantville Building and Loan Association. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—For the Purpose of Redemption of the Bonds of the Borough.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$203,175.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$23,550.
Rate of Tax Levied—$2.30 on the $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
For State	$544 14
For County	1,689 26
For School	1,020 18
For Borough	1,961 13
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 1st, 1885—	
State and County Tax	$2,218 11
Lighting	692 73
Police	392 00
Interest and Sinking Fund	260 00
Salaries	199 00
School	1,000 00
Miscellaneous	82 98

MATTHIAS HORNER, *Burgess*,
Merchantville, Camden County, New Jersey.

Attest:
WM. H. MOSES,
Borough Clerk.

TOWNSHIP OF CENTRE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$390,860.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$127,186.
Rate of Tax Levied—State, $0.23; County, $0.71; Township, $0.20; Total, $1.14.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Balance on hand 2d Mo., 10th, 1884	$210 35
From Warrants of 1882 and 1883	350 75
Amount of Duplicate of 1884	7,948 43
Sum Total	$8,509 53
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 2d Mo., 1885—	
State and County Tax	$6,214 50
Township Expenditures	1,794 04
Balance in Collector's hands	500 99
	$8,509 53

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF CENTRE TOWNSHIP, IN ACCOUNT WITH DAVID A. SHREVE, COLLECTOR, FOR THE YEAR ENDING SECOND MONTH, 5TH, 1885.

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Balance on hand, 2d Mo., 10th, 1884	$210 35
Collected on Warrant of 1883	180 86
" " 1882	14 35
" Constable's Warrant	151 13
" William Doughton, Est.	4 41
Amount of Duplicate of 1884	7,948 43
	$8,509 53

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By State and County Tax	$4,831 09
" District School Tax	1,383 41
" Road Work, Upper District	226 09
" Road Work, Lower	218 24
" Road Work, S. C. Beetle	93 37
" Road Work, Thomas G. Zane	66 22
" Maintenance of Poor	41 48
" Assessor's Fees	136 56
" Collector's Fees	133 90
" Fees of Collector's Constable	24 11
" Town Clerk	12 00
" Election Officers	60 00
" Commissioners of Appeal	6 00
" Printing Bills	15 00
" Township Officers, 1883	63 00
" Frank Williams, M. D	96 00
" Pound Keeper	10 00
" Justice's Bills	8 37
" Blacksmith Bills	3 95
" W. K. Cook, Janitor	23 00
" Deducted by Commissioners of Appeal	3 38
" Deducted by Committee	6 00
" Amount of Tax Uncollected	547 37
" Amount in Collector's hands	500 99
	$8,509 53

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 13.

By balance, 2d Mo., 5th, 1884	$235 36
Second Mo., 20th, balance State Tax	77 68
Second Mo., 20th, balance Haddon District	49 37
Tenth Mo., 20th, State Appropriation	30 35
Tenth Mo., 20th, Surplus Revenue	8 74
Eleventh Mo., 5th, District Tax	150 00
Eleventh Mo., 27th, Haddon Township	50 00
	$601 50

Paid Teachers	$449 06
" Joseph M. Haines	116 42
" Beal & Bros	2 00
Balance due	34 02
	$601 50

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 14.

Nov. 5th, District School Tax	$140 80
Nov. 22d, Paid M. H. Perry, Collector	$140 80

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 15.

Balance, 2d Mo., 5th, 1884	$556 85
Second Mo., 20th, balance State Tax	144 37
Second Mo., 23d, from Warrant of 1882	25 55
Eighth Mo., 11th, from Trustees	500 00
Tenth Mo., 25th, State Appropriation	76 75

Tenth Mo., 25th, Surplus Revenue	$22 09
Eleventh Mo., 5th, District Tax	500 00
" " " Warrant of 1882	2 45
" " " " of 1883	33 26
	$1,861 32

Paid Teachers	$1,083 00
" James C. Dobbs	52 50
" D. D. Wright	3 25
" Keystone School Co.	149 22
" J. B. Chapman	87 99
" John Clark	34 38
" Wm. DeGraft	8 00
" Budd & Braddock	29 65
" Clement & Giffin	15 15
" Albert Callis	6 67
" John Goodin	5 00
" E. G. Miller	9 60
" Jesse Bryant	1 50
" C. L. Albertson, for wood	2 50
" S. S. Willitts & Co.	101 52
Balance due	271 39
	$1,861 32

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 16.

By balance, 2d Mo., 5th, 1884	$381 64
Second Mo., 20th, balance State Tax	87 01
Tenth Mo., 25th, State Appropriation	20 33
" " " Surplus Revenue	5 85
Twelfth Mo., 5th, District Tax	530 00
	$1,024 83

Paid Teachers	$515 00
" Joseph W. Johnson	84 09
" E. Lawson	12 00
" B. Lawson	12 00
" Jacob Harley, Sr.	106 00
" " " Jr.	202 90
Balance due	92 84
	$1,024 83

JNO. HUTCHINSON,
Box 66, Haddonfield, Camden Co.

TOWNSHIP OF DELAWARE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,014,840.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$342,277.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.15.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School	$0.25
County	0.68
Township	0.22

ALFRED HILLMAN, *Chairman*,
Post Office, Haddonfield, Camden Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF WATERFORD.

Amount of Floating Debt—$7,225. Composed of Township Bonds. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Five per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Bounty, Soldiers late War. Falls Due—Past Due.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$388,070.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$52,500.

Rate of Tax Levied—State, $0.25; County, $0.68; Township, $0.72—$1.65 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Road Purposes	$1,500 00
Incidental	700 00
Opening New Road	300 00
Payment on Bonds	1,000 00
Assessor's and Collector's Fees	300 00
Auditor's Fees	80 60
School Purposes	1,227 98

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
Paid Road Work	$1,002 90
" Collector percentage of School Money	58 39
" Collector's Fees and Sundry Bills, Account School Money	147 03
" Assessor's Fees	157 47
" Township Committee's Fees	91 25
" Township Clerk's Fees	33 65
" Janitor's Fees	10 00
" Township Physician's Fees	45 00
" Commissioner of Appeals' Fees	9 00
" Special Constable, Collecting Tax Warrants	146 57
" on Bonds	2,500 00
" Interest on Bonds	596 50
" Spring Election Board	25 50
" Lumber Bill	4 50
" Poor Bill	3 00
" Painting Town Hall	27 40
" Printer's Bill	20 40
" Justice, Issuing Tax Warrants	16 20
" Coal Bill	3 47
" Township Treasurer's Fees	50 00
" Bushel & Mills Printer's Bill	12 95
" Blacksmith Bill	10 65
	$4,971 87

EAYRE SHARP,
Town Clerk.

CAPE MAY COUNTY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$2,000. Composed of one County Bond. In addition to the above, the County holds in trust $12,349.14 Surplus Revenue for School Purposes. Interest paid annually. Rate—Six per cent. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five per cent. Purpose for which contracted—General County Purposes. Falls Due—At option after January 1st, 1882. Amount of Sinking Fund—$1,000. Composed of Cash. Nature, purpose and condition of Sinking Fund—To pay Bonded Debt.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$3,167,844.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$526,593.

Amount of Tax Raised—

For State School Tax	$10,740 66
" Courts	2,000 00
" Freeholders and Officers	1,300 00
" Bridges and Culverts	1,500 00
" Elections	300 00
" Incidentals	500 00
" Public Buildings	200 00
" Incidental Public Schools	850 00
" Interest Surplus Revenue	750 00
" Coroners	150 00
" Almshouse	3,300 00
" Lunatic Asylum	1,400 00
" Printing and Advertising	325 00
" Jail	350 00
" Stationery	300 00
" Bonded Debt	1,000 00
" Interest on Bonded Debt	125 00
" Temporary Loan	3,000 00
" Interest on Temporary Loan	75 00
" County Roads	150 00
Total	$17,575 00

Expenditures for the fiscal year ending May 13th, 1885—

Courts	$2,292 58
Freeholders and Officers	1,427 28
Bridges and Culverts	1,395 57
Elections	363 35
Incidentals	332 76
Public Buildings	439 82
Coroners	148 37
Almshouse	3,053 00
Lunatic Asylum	1,002 97
Printing and Advertising	317 21
Jail	307 99
Stationery	252 39
Bonded Debt	1,000 00
Interest on Bonded Debt	150 00
Temporary Loan	2,500 00
Interest on Temporary Loan	71 31
County Roads	156 87
	$15,211 47

ALEXANDER CORSON, *Director*,
Seaville.

CITY OF CAPE MAY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$87,200. Composed of Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five, six and seven per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Improvement of Streets, Sewers and Laying Water Mains. Falls Due—1886, 1890, 1894, 1897.

Amount of Floating Debt—$2,622. Composed of Notes. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Chemical Engine and Electric Lights. Falls Due—Due at this date.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,546,160.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$208,300.

Rate of Tax Levied—Two per cent.

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February, 1885—

Mayor's Salary	$300 00
Recorder's "	200 00
Assessor's "	150 00
Collector's "	200 00
Treasurer's Salary	200 00
Street Supervisor's Salary	150 00
Three Engineers of Water Works and Steam Engines	1,800 00
Police and Watchmen	2,500 00
Lighting Streets	2,500 00
Repairing, Cleaning and Watering Streets	6,500 00
Fire and Water	4,000 00
Interest on Bonds and Notes	5,550 00
Schools	1,800 00
Liquidation of Notes or Bonds	2,900 00
Incidentals	2,000 00
Fire Department	200 00
Superintendent of Water Works	100 00
Poor Fund	300 00
Board of Health, Sanitary Measures	300 00
Total	$31,650 00

J. HENRY EDMUNDS, *Mayor.*

TOWNSHIP OF DENNIS.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$306,000.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$90,000.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.50 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County and State School	$3,470 69
Township School	771 00
" Roads	1,500 00
" Poor	200 00
" Tax	500 00
	$6,441 69

Full Amount of Duplicate, $6,546.90.

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
Paid by Collector as per settlement:	
Amount of Road Orders	$1,468 32
Amount of Poor Orders	41 00
To County Collector	3,470 69
Commissioners of Appeals	16 00
Township School Tax	771 00
Account of Marriages, Births, Deaths, &c	10 50
Justice of the Peace Issuing Tax Warrants	2 61
Abatement by Commissioners of Appeal	170 98
Assessed but Non-Assessable	85 75
Collector's Bill	128 55
Assessor's Bill	94 70
Miscellaneous Bills	10 90
Uncollected Taxes of 1884	167 64
	$6,438 64
Balance Paid to Treasurer	108 26
Receipts of Treasurer—	
Cash in Treasury at last Settlement	$334 30
" Received from old Black Lists	18 40
" " from Collector	108 26
	$460 96
Expenditures of Treasurer—	
Poor Orders of 1883	$27 00
Road Orders of 1883	127 04
Use of Hall for Elections	10 00
Election Fees	25 50
Town Committee and Clerk	37 85
"Star of the Cape" Printing Bill	20 76
Poor Orders of 1884 and 1885	30 25
Dr. Carll, Salary (Poor)	50 00
Township Clerk	14 58
Mscellaneous Bills	40 17
	$383 15
Balance in Treasury	$77 81
Resources—	
Cash in Treasury	$77 81
Liabilities—	
Due Poor Fund	$131 00
Due Road Fund	16 25

J. F. GOFF, *Chairman*,
East Creek P. O., Dennis Township, Cape May County, N. J.

LOWER TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Floating Debt—$650. Composed of Notes of Hand. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—6 per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Current Expenses of Township. Falls Due—At option, after February 1st, 1884.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$32,702.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$43,210.
Rate of Tax Levied—About $11\frac{3}{10}$ mills.

Amount of Tax Raised—$4,472 23.

For General Township Purposes	$1,844 29
County Tax	2,627 94

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Paid County	$2,627 94
For Roads	973 08
War Bonds and Interest	479 51
General Township Purposes	564 90

CALEB WOOLSON, *Chairman Committee.*

MIDDLE TOWNSHIP.

Number of Acres—27,700.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$486,000.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$124,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.05 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—$7,905.94.

County	$4,917 85
Roads	2,000 00
Township	988 09
	$7,905 94

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Amount Paid Overseers of Highway	$1,821 00
Assessor's Fees	119 00
Collector's Fees	139 24
Expenses of Appeal	19 00
Stationery and Postage	5 00
Disbursing $218 65, at $\frac{3}{4}$ per cent	15 88
Abatement of Tax	96 92
Delinquent List	691 68
Recording Unpaid Taxes	1 52
Return Tax Delinquents	9 99
Amount Paid Township Treasurer	69 47
County Collector	4,917 85
Total	$7,905 94

A. J. TOMLIN, *Chairman Township Committee,*
Goshen, Cape May Co., New Jersey.

UPPER TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$405,458.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$140,260.
Rate of Tax Levied—.013 per cent.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County Tax	$2,709 48
Two-mill or State School Tax	1,576 13
Road Tax	2,000 00
Township School Tax	618 00
Special Tax in Upper District (Marshallville)	146 75
Dog Tax	30 50
Township Tax	400 00
" Poor Tax	50 00
Taxes not Assessed	9 94
Total	$7,540 80

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 6th, 1885—	
County Purposes	$2,709 48
Road "	2,000 00
Township "	570 62
Two-mill or State School Tax	1,576 13
Bond on Marshallville District	155 00
Township Poor Fund	29 00
	$7,040 23

JOSEPH J. MICKEL, *Chairman*,
Petersburg P. O., Cape May Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF WEYMOUTH.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$192,180.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$42,905.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.62 per $100.
Amount of Tax Raised—$3,862.78.

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending November 1st, 1885—	
For State School	$588 71
" County Purposes	1,674 07
" Township Purposes, Roads	1,000 00
" Schools	300 00
" Incidental Expenses of Township	300 00
Total	$3,862 78

JOHN GODFREY, *Chairman of Committee*,
Tuckahoe, Cape May Co., N. J.

COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$9,940,000.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$2,463,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—County, $0.003225; State, $0.00258.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
General Expenses of the County	$40,000 00
State School Tax	31,966 28
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 13th, 1885—	
Board of Prisoners	$1,871 23
Court Expenses	4,080 36
Bulding addition to Almshouse	7,818 71
Building and Repairing Bridges	9,746 82
Almshouse Expenses	8,567 99
Support of Insane at State Asylum, Trenton	8,058 38
Advertising, Printing Annual Statement	998 35
Salaries	2,518 82
Miscellaneous	3,334 83
	$46,995 53
Cash Balance on Hand May, 1884	$9,860 79
Tax Raised	40,000 00
Total	$49,860 79
Cash Balance on Hand May 13th, 1885	2,865 26
	$46,995 53
State School Tax Paid in Full	$31,966 28

MORRIS BACON, *Director*,
Greenwich, Cumberland Co , N. J.

CITY OF BRIDGETON.

Amount of Funded Debt—$80,000. Composed of Coupon Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Building Water Works. Falls Due—$3,000 August 1st, 1887, and $3,000 each succeeding year thereafter.

Amount of Cash on Hand—$8,774.93.

Amount of Real Estate and Personal Property Taxable—$3,665,000.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.30 on $100, with $0.10 on $100 additional in "Light District."

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Public Schools	$8,000 00
Roads and Streets	8,000 00
Water Department	2,000 00
Light and Fire Department	3,000 00
Salaries	3,500 00
Contingent Expenses	3,500 00
Incidental "	2,000 00
State School Tax	9,162 00
County Tax	11,680 35
	$50,842 35

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 1st, 1885—

Public Schools	$26,704 58
Roads and Streets	10,582 81
Light and Fire Department	5,721 44
Salaries	3,498 59
Elections	662 02
Tax Expenses	564 74
Printing	243 65
Pauper Account	380 79
Bills Payable	13,032 00
Sundries	554 21
	$61,944 83

FRANK M. RILEY, *City Treasurer*,
City of Bridgeton, N. J.

CITY OF MILLVILLE.

Amount of Funded Debt—$31,000. Composed of Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Water Works. Falls Due—$1,000 Annually.

Amount of Floating Debt—$18,500. Composed of Notes. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Temporary Necessities. Falls Due—December 20th, 1885.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,590,250.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$985,750.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.75.

Amount of Tax Raised—About $46,000 or $48,000.

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February, 1886—

Roads and Streets	$5,500 00
Salaries	2,700 00
Poor Relief	500 00
Interest	2,600 00
City Bonds	4,000 00
City Government	2,000 00
Schools	22,618 00
State and County (Cannot give the Figures) Near	90 00

J. B. COMER, *Mayor*,
City of Millville, County of Cumberland, State of New Jersey.

BOROUGH OF VINELAND.

The borough of Vineland was organized under the act passed by the Legislature of 1878, hence has no existence as a corporation separate from Landis township, in the county of Cumberland. We raise upon property within the borough limits about $700 annually, which, with the amount received for fines and licenses, amounts to about $1,000, which is expended for lighting the streets and for night watchmen and police, and for incidental expenses. We have no debts, raise no tax except as above, and all property, real and personal, is reported as belonging to Landis township.

A. S. BROWN, *Mayor*,
Borough of Vineland.

Vineland, October 7th, 1885.

TOWNSHIP OF DEERFIELD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$545,037.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$281,443.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.77 per $100; School District No. 4, $0.12 on the $100; School District No. 6, $0.54 on the $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$2,654 18
Township Road Tax	1,400 00
School District No. 4 (Special)	70 00
" " " 6 "	475 00
State School Two-mill Tax	2,121 11
Balance in Treasury February, 1884	357 09
	$7,077 38

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 10th, 1885—

State School Tax	$2,121 11
County Tax	2,654 18
Township Road Tax	1,339 78
Officers' Salaries	338 33
Printing	27 90
School District Nos. 4 and 6	545 00
Counsel Fees	10 00
Election Expenses, use of house, &c	35 50
Blacksmithing	64 00
Wheelwrighting	5 75
Tax Warrant	4 88
Turkey Bill	7 50
	$7,153 93

CHARLES C. PHILLIPS,
Deerfield Street, Cumberland Co., N. J.

DOWNE TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$272,419.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$90,353.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.06 general.

Amount of Tax Raised—

School District No. 9	$150 00
" " 10	475 00
" " 12	50 00
" " 13	81 00
Road District No. 1	500 00
" " 4	400 00
Incidentals for Township	400 00
Poor Fund	200 00
Police Force	50 00
State School	899 32
County Tax	1,129 86
	$4,335 18

GEORGE CHANCE, *Township Clerk.*

TOWNSHIP OF HOPEWELL.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$101,183.75.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$3,703.45.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.85.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School Tax	$2,739 67
District Tax	1,362 85
County Tax	3,428 18
Dog Tax	126 50
Poor Funds	100 00
Tax for Incidental Expenses	2,666 65
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
By State School Tax	$2,739 67
By County Tax	3,428 18
School Orders	2,998 41
District School Tax	1,362 85
Expended on Roads	2,279 46
Election Officers' Fees	51 00
Committee Fees	18 00
Assessor's Fees	165 86
Collector's Fees	182 57
Clerk's Fees	20 00
Dog Fund Expended	66 00
Rent of Hall and Counselor's Fees, &c	35 00

M. M. JOHNSON, *Chairman Committee*,
County of Cumberland, Hopewell Township, P. O. Bridgeton, N J.

TOWNSHIP OF LANDIS.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,050,125.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$111,650.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.24 on each $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Incidental	$1,300 00
Roads	6,000 00
Parks	100 00
Poor	500 00
State School	2,994 82
County	3,747 47
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 14th, 1885—	
Incidentals	$1,553 57
Roads	5,998 83
Poor	295 90
Parks	235 05
Suppression Crime	288 70
Township Building Fund	19 26
State School	2,994 82
County	3,747 47

GEORGE DAVIDSON, *Chairman*,
Vineland, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF MAURICE RIVER.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$612,991.00.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—155,797.00
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.70 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$1,353 83
School Tax	1,079 17
Road Tax	2,000 00
Poor Tax	200 00
Expenses and Arrearages	833 28
Dog Tax	99 00
	$5,565 28

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 15th, 1885—

For Schools	$3,303 61
" Roads	1,913 27
Township Officers' Fees	481 76
Printing	21 85
Election and Incidental Expenses	190 63
Pound Bill	1 87
Poor Bill	108 75
Tax taken off by Commissioners	18 55
Tax Refunded	14 35
Expenses of Laying out Public Roads	104 91
Loss on Tax Warrant	69 37
	$6,228 92

HENRY H. SPENCE,
Heislerville P. O., Cumberland Co., N. J.

ESSEX COUNTY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$1,771,135.07. Composed of Bonds of Essex County. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—On $1,474,000, Seven per cent; on $25,225.80, Six per cent; on $109,701.70, Five per cent; on $97,000, Four and a half per cent; on $64,807.57, Four per cent; and $400 past due, not presented. Purpose for which contracted—For payment of Bounties during the Rebellion, $1,442,900; for Laying out and Constructing Roads, $328,235.07—Total, $1,771,135.07. Falls due—In 1882, not presented, $400; in 1886, $30,000; in 1887, $72,500; in 1888, $12,000; in 1889, $165,700; in 1890, $18,353; in 1891, $237,373.80; in 1892, $40,781; in 1893, $110,000; in 1894, $14,027.27; in 1895, $520,000; in 1896, $10,000; in 1897, $10,000; in 1898, $10,000; in 1899, $520,000. Amount of Sinking—$146,076.50. Composed of United States Bonds, at par, $91,500; Road Bonds of Essex County, at par, $44,509 27; Cash in Banks, $10,067.23. Nature, purpose and condition of Sinking Fund—To pay Bonded Debt. Condition as above stated.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable in 1884—$95,595,097.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$22,337,190; less indebtedness, $2,066,429; net, $20,270,761. Rate of Tax Levied—$0.006992 mills.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State Poll Tax amounting to	$36,790 00
State Tax for 1884	290,538 85
County Expenditures	485,345 74
Road Tax for Sinking Fund	33,274 44
War Tax for Sinking Fund	55,000 00
Free Bridge for Sinking Fund	2,000 00

With unexpended appropriation from last year amounting to $60,987.58 in addition to tax raised.

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Current Expenses—	Court Expenses	$84,039 20
	Jail Disbursements	13,528 46
	Penitentiary Disbursements	21,095 48
	Lunatic Asylum, County	59,995 72
	Lunatic Asylum, State	11,122 59
	Per diem of Freeholders and Commissioners of Road Board	13,882 00
	Salaries of County Officers	9,440 96
	Coroners and Undertakers, inquest and burial fees	843 85
	Elections	3,872 10
	Stationery	997 29
	Advertising and Printing	913 10
	Miscellaneous Disbursements	2,202 70
		$221,933 45
Debt and Interest—	Interest on War Debt	$99,995 00
	Interest on Road Debt	21,218 54
	Interest on Free Bridge Debt	45 00
		$121,258 54
	Account Road Sinking Fund, Bonds paid	$230,000 00
	Account War Sinking Fund, Bonds paid	30,000 00
	Account Free Bridge Sinking Fund, Bonds paid	2,000 00
		$262,000 00
Public Works—	Improvement and Repairs to Public Buildings	$6,522 17
	Building and Repairs to Bridges	30,015 65
	Repairs to County Roads	20,000 00
	Salaries and Expenses of Road Board	3,000 00
	New County Asylum Building	88,184 48
		$147,722 30
State Tax, 1884		$290,538 85

EDWIN W. HULL, *Director*,
Orange, Essex County.

CITY OF NEWARK.

Amount of Funded Debt—$11,299,000. Composed of Coupon and Registered Bonds issued for periods of from one to thirty years. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—$8,344,000 at seven per cent.; $1,263,000 at six per cent.; $1,662,000 at five per cent.; $30,000 at four per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—War Debt, $960,000; Water Debt, $3,270,000; Clinton Hill Reform Society, $419,000; Street Improvement, Sewer and Corporate, $3,650,000; Floating Debt Funded, $550,000; School Houses, $560,000; Taxes in Arrears, $1,890,000. Falls Due—1885, $148,000; 1886, $1,784,000; 1887, $247,000; 1888, $442,000; 1889, $248,000; 1890, $195,000; 1891, $370,000; 1892, $2,827,000; 1893, $1,628,000; 1894, $130,000; 1895, $400,000; 1896, $450,000; 1897, $100,000; 1900, $180,000; 1905, $500,000; 1906, $50,000; 1909, $1,070,000; 1910, $500,000; 1914, $30,000.

Amount of Temporary Debt—$825,000. Composed of obligations having at time of issue six months or less to run. Rate of Interest on Temporary Debt—$690,000 at four and one-half per cent.; $135,000 at four per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Ordinary expenses in anticipation of Collecting Taxes. Falls Due—$256,000, February, 1885; $194,000, March, 1885; $375,000, April, 1885.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$3,438,973.67. Composed of Bonds of the city of Newark, county of Essex, U. S. Bonds and cash in bank. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—Nature and condition as stated. Purpose—Extinguishment of the city debt.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$72,456,775 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	18,524,775 00
	$90,981,550 00
Less Indebtedness Sworn Off	1,505,170 00
	$89,476,380 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$2.03.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
For County, exclusive of Poll Tax	$625,574 24
" City Expenses	820,550 00
" Interest and Sinking Funds	314,000 00
" Water Board	50,000 00
	$1,810,124 24

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending December 31st, 1884—	
Lamps and Gas	$101,500 00
Poor and Alms	33,000 00
Streets and Highways	50,000 00
Public Grounds	5,000 00
Public Buildings	14,000 00
Bridges	2,300 00
Crosswalks	2,000 00
Public Schools	92,500 00
Public Schools, Construction	17,000 00
Industrial Schools	800 00
Police	155,000 00
Fire Department	86,500 00
Water Supply	2,750 00
City Hospital	9,000 00
Hospitals	9,000 00
Public Health	10,000 00

Sewers	$15,000 00
Wharves	3,000 00
Contingent Expenses	42,500 00
Scavenger	23,500 00
Unpaid Personal Taxes, 1882	30,000 00
City Home	18,000 00
Collecting Taxes	25,000 00
Interest (on Temporary Loans)	20,000 00
Public Baths	1,200 00
Defalcation Deficiency	2,000 00
Paving and Repaving Streets	50,000 00
Sinking Funds	135,000 00
Interest on Bonded Debt	179,000 00
Aqueduct Board	50,000 00

F. C. RUNYON, *City Auditor*,
Newark, N. J.

CITY OF ORANGE.

Amount of Funded Debt—$677,000. Composed of Bonds of the City. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven per cent. on $224,000, and five per cent. on $453,000. Purpose for which Contracted—Road Improvement, $40,000; Educational, $70,000; Fire Department, $20,000; Street Improvement (Installment), *$19,000; Deficiency Bonds, $35,000; Arrears of Taxes (prior to 1876), $60,000; Arrears of Taxes, 1876 to 1881, both inclusive, $20,000; Construction of Water Works, $400,000; Renewal Street Improvement Bonds (Installment), $13,000.

Falls Due—

1885.	Installment Street Improvement		*$19,000 00
1886.	Renewal of " "	†$4,366 66	
	Educational	8,000 00	
			12,366 66
1887.	Educational	$8,000 00	
	Renewal of Street Improvement	†4,366 67	
			12,366 67
1888.	Renewal of Street Improvement	†$4,366 67	
	Educational	9,000 00	
			13,366 67
1889.	Road Improvement		18,000 00
1890.	Educational		5,000 00
1891.	"		10,000 00
1892.	"	$10,000 00	
	Tax Arrearage	†20,000 00	
			30,000 00
1893.	Road Improvement		10,000 00
1894.	" "		12,000 00
1895.	Fire Department		10,000 00
1896.	Tax Arrearage	$60,000 00	
	Fire Department	10,000 00	
			70,000 00
1897.	Deficiency		10,000 00
1898.	"		15,000 00
1899.	"		10,000 00
1900.	Educational		†20,000 00
1912.	Water Works		†400,000 00
			$677,000 00

*Paid April 1st, 1885.
†Interest at five per cent.

Amount of Floating Debt—$35,575.59. Composed of Temporary Loans (by notes), $27,000. Balance of Tax for 1884, due County of Essex, $8,575.59. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six and five per cent. per annum. Purpose for which Contracted—In anticipation of the payment of Taxes and Assessments for Street Improvements. Falls Due—Notes, $17,000, April 14th, 1885; $10,000, May 5th, 1885. The County Tax was due November 20th, 1884.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$58,907.62. Composed of 36 Orange City Bonds, each $1,000, $36,000; Cash on deposit in Savings Bank, at interest, $22,907.62. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—To pay School House Erection Bonds ($20,000), issued in 1880: Orange Bonds, $5,000; Cash, $2,222.30. Total, $7,222 30. To Pay Tax Arrearage Bonds ($60,000), issued in 1876: Orange Bonds, $23,000; Cash, $1,626.49. Total, $24,626.49. To pay Tax Arrearage Bonds ($20,000), issued in 1882: Orange Bonds, $5,000; Cash, $1,740.71. Total, $6,740.71. To pay all other Bonds, except Water Loan: Orange Bonds, $3,000; Cash, $17,318.12. Total, $20,318.12.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$4,463,000.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$819,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—$2.62.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
For Support of Poor	$6,500 00
" Repairs of Streets	6,000 00
" Support of Schools (exclusive of State Appropriations)	7,000 00
" Police Department	9,500 00
" Fire "	5,000 00
" Interest on all Bonds (except Installment Street Improvement and School House Erection) and Temporary Loans	32,000 00
" General Sinking Fund Installment	10,000 00
" Special Sinking Fund Installment (School House Erection Bonds)	1,800 00
" Incidental Expenses	11,000 00
" Lighting Streets	10,200 00
Total Tax Ordered by the City	$99,000 00
County Tax (including Pools and Special Assessments)	39,507 24
Whole Amount of Tax Ordered Raised	$138,507 24

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending with February 28th, 1885—

Essex County Tax		$35,094 79
Current Expenses—		
Support of Poor	$6,036 96	
Repairs of Streets	7,182 13	
Support of Schools	*29,502 16	
Police Department	13,592 02	
Fire "	6,997 41	
Incidental Expenses	10,240 67	
Lighting Streets	10,062 39	
		83,613 74
Interest on Bonds, &c		40,349 17
Sinking Fund Installments (including Tax Arrearages)		14,150 74
Street Improvements (Costs and Damages)		11,050 88
License Revoked		49 50
		$184,308 82

*Includes $2,820.21, cost of addition to Valley School Building.

Orange Water Works, March 1st, 1885—	
Construction Account	$403,360 08
Maintenance	5,377 96
Experts' Report	378 35
Total Expenditures	$409,116 39

The Expenditures for the Year ending February 28th, 1885, on account of Construction and Maintenance, amounted to $15,310.30.

GEORGE H. HARTFORD, *Mayor*,
Orange, Essex County.

VILLAGE OF IRVINGTON.

Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—	
Assets as follows—	
Cash on hand	$680 84
Assessment Deeds	635 00
	$1,315 84

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$591,870.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$73,940.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.40.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Special Tax Assessed, 1884	$2,663 24
Road Tax Assessed, 1884	1,065 29
Total	$3,728 53

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 25th, 1885—	
For Public Gas	$1.117 34
For Roads	2,194 26
For Incidentals, Salaries, &c	564 02
Total	$3,875 62

JOHN H. VAN CLEVE,
President of the Village of Irvington.

VILLAGE OF SOUTH ORANGE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,067,760.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$211,800.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.15.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Lighting Lamps	$2,100 00
Contingent Expenses	2,700 00
Interest and Debt	2,800 00
Streets and Highways	4,700 00
Police Department	1,700 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 1st, 1885—

Lamp Account	$2,246 78
Expense "	2,397 51
Interest and Debt	2,894 95
Streets and Highways	3,441 61
Police Account	1,235 51

WM. L. CORTELYOU, *President*,
South Orange, Essex Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF BELLEVILLE.

Amount of Funded Debt—$33,000. Composed of Township Bonds and Mortgage on Town Farm. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—To take up Woodside Bonds, and also Township Bonds which were issued on Account of William street Pavement (Woodside Bonds Issued on Account of Liability to Montclair R. R.) Falls Due—1900.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$4,628.42. Composed of Cash in Bank, $3,128.42, and three Township Bonds of $500 each. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—To Redeem the Bonds issued for purposes hereinbefore set forth.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,005,000.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$117,000.

Rate of Tax Levied—$2.32 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Roads	$2,000 00
Poor	1,500 00
Incidental	2,000 00
School	1,494 22
William Street Pavement	1,000 00
Water Supply	1,385 52

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Roads	$1,194 12
Poor	1,685 60
Water Supply	983 57
Incidental	8,209 01
Interest	1,890 00
William Street Pavement	1,000 00

AARON LLOYD, *Chairman of Township Committee*,
Township of Belleville, Essex Co.

BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Floating Debt—

Composed of Bills Payable	$1,350 00
" " Orders on Collector	1,128 44
	$2,478 44

Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. on Bills Payable. Purpose for which contracted—General Township Purposes.

Falls Due—		
Bills Payable, April 8th		$1,350 00
Orders on Collector on Demand		1,128 44
		$2,478 44

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$2,294,795.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$472,597.
Rate of Tax Levied—$2.10.

Amount of Tax Raised—		
For Support of Poor	$2,000 00	
For Contingent Expenses	3,000 00	
For Repairs of Roads	5,000 00	
For Crosswalks	300 00	
For Public Grounds	500 00	
For Schools	11,100 00	
For Gas	3,800 00	
For County	19,152 34	
For Water	4,500 00	
For Hose and Pipe	400 00	
For General Fire Purposes	1,000 00	
For Firing Salute	50 00	
For Sidewalk Construction	1,000 00	
	$51,802 34	
Receipts—		
For Poor, from License Fees	$400 00	
For Poor, from Overseer's Collections	73 70	
For Roads, from Arrears Taxes	103 00	
For Sidewalk Grading, from Arrears Taxes	120 00	
For Crosswalks, from Arrears Taxes	80 80	
		$52,579 84
Unexpended Balance Appropriation, 1883—		
Poor	$497 10	
Roads	65 16	
Crosswalks	1 52	
Public Grounds	9 05	
Gas	1,126 45	
Contingent	660 66	
Schools	5,944 90	
		8,304 84
		$60,884 68

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 1st, 1885—		
For Support of Poor	$2,361 55	
For Roads	5,166 84	
For Contingencies	3,460 00	
For Gas	3,990 46	
For Public Grounds	498 66	
For Crosswalks	382 28	
For County	19,152 34	
For Schools	13,546 35	
For Water	3,520 00	
For Hose and Pipe	4,000 00	
For General Fire Purposes	847 90	
For Firing Salute	50 00	
For Sidewalk Construction	1,000 00	
For Sidewalk Grading	118 54	
		$54,494 92

Unexpended Balance, Appropriation 1884—		
Poor	$609 25	
Roads	1 32	
Contingencies	200 66	
Crosswalks	04	
Public Grounds	10 39	
Gas	935 99	
Schools	3,498 55	
Water	980 00	
General Fire purposes	152 10	
Sidewalk Grading	1 46	
		$6,389 76
		$60,884 68

WM. A. BALDWIN, *Chairman of Township Committee,*
Bloomfield, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF CALDWELL.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,201,100.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$178,500.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.84 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
For Township	$2,800 00
" County	9,680 41
" Special Road	500 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 10th, 1885—	
Paid County	$4,440 86
Paid for Poor Purposes	1,592 19
Printing Tax Certificates, &c	31 50
Sundries for other Township Purposes	1,844 53
Paid Township Committee and Other Officers	126 94

WILLIAM B. ALLEN, *Chairman Township Committee,*
Cedar Grove, Caldwell Township, Essex Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF CLINTON.

Amount of Floating Debt—$4,592.03. Composed of Due School Districts, $4,334.57; Due Road Districts, $257.46.
Amount of Assets—$27,628.13.

Composed of—Tax Deeds, 1873 to 1878	$3,671 81
Tax Liens, 1878 to 1883	5,486 28
Tax Certificates, 1879 to 1883	1,608 22
	$10,766 31
Less Partial Payments on same	1,651 14
	$9,115 17
Personal Taxes, 1874 to 1883	3,314 94
Ditch Assessment Deeds	5,270 56
Uncollected Taxes of 1884	3,458 85
Cash on Hand	6,468 61
	$27,628 13

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,457,300.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$120,279.

Rate of Tax Levied—
County—$0.70 on $100.
Road—$0.16 on $100.
Irvington Incorporated Village—$0.40 on $100.
School District No. 30—$0.98 on $100.
" " " 31—$0.62 " $100.
" " " 33—$0.06 " $100.
" " " 34—$0.19 " $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County	$11,043 55
Roads	1,458 94
Irvington Incorporated Village	3,728 53
School District No. 30	473 34
" " " 31	6,674 14
" " " 33	146 08
" " " 34	397 86

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 1st, 1885—

County	$10,497 96
Township	2,963 37
Roads	1,439 42
School District No. 30	591 23
" " " 31	9,331 35
" " " 33	287 57
" " " 34	688 40
Irvington Incorporated Village	3,639 62

JOSEPH G. WARD, *Chairman.*

EAST ORANGE TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Funded Debt—$34,434.71. Composed of Township Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven per cent. on $5,500, seven and six per cent. on balance. Purpose for which contracted—To permit property owners to pay the cost of Street Improvement in ten annual installments, the Township loaning its credit by issuing bonds. Falls Due—$5,163.48 in 1885; $6,463.47 in 1886; $3,463.46 in each of the years 1887 and 1890; $3,463.51 in 1891; $3,098.02 in 1892; $1,348.02 in 1893; $1,044.37 in 1894.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$4,415,000.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$976,600.

Rate of Tax Levied—County, $0.80; Township, $1.00; Schools, No. 36 School District, Eastern, $2.20; No. 37 School District, Ashland, $1.98; No. 38 School District, Franklin, $2.18.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$40,156 65
Township Tax	38,140 00
Street Improvement Bonds and Interest	7,225 97
Township Schools	11,810 00
Township School Districts	14,866 14

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

For County Tax		$39,228 91
" Roads		9,391 10
" Incidentals		8,487 98
" Poor		2,373 37
" Street Lights		8,954 17
" Fire Purposes		2,122 64
" Schools, Township	$11,310 75	
" " District	14,723 20	
		26,033 95
" Bonds and Interest		6,842 65
" Water Service		8,140 00

Paid—

For Damages Assessed for the Opening of New Streets	$5,547 83
" Street Improvements (McAdams)	16,995 09
" Sidewalk Repairs	215 70

ROBERT LANE, *Chairman*,
Township of East Orange, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$493,210.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$3,815.
Rate of Tax Levied—Average rate, $1.75.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Roads, with Balance from last Report, and Dog Tax	$196 00
Sidewalks	381 00
Poor	965 52
Incidentals	1,121 12
Special Road, Telford	1,500 00
Collected	7,387 47

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 3d, 1885—

Roads	$168 90
Sidewalks	330 79
Poor	698 57
Incidentals	1,090 38
Special Road, Telford	1,453 80
County Collector, State and County	5,019 06

GEO. S. COE,
Avondale, Essex Co., Township of Franklin.

LIVINGSTON TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$522,800.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$82,600.
Rate of Tax Levied—State and County, $0.70; Township, $0.20 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Roads	$2,000 00
Township Purposes	1,000 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 21st, 1885—	
Town Expenses	$946 15

S. H. BURNET, *Chairman Township Committee,*
Livingston, Essex County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF MILBURN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$990,025.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$151,045.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.25.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State and County Tax	$7,907 95
373 Polls	373 00
Special Road Tax and Interest	2,406 63
Special School Tax	679 24
Road Appropriation	2,000 00
" " Special	100 00
Support of Poor	900 00
Township Purposes	700 00
Uncollected Taxes, etc	820 18
Amount of Duplicate	15,887 00
Back Taxes of 1882 and 1883 and interest collected	953 32
Tavern Licenses	150 00
Unappropriated Surplus and Amount in Bank	819 62
Back Taxes, Interest, etc., for 1879, 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883,	699 37
Amount sold from Poor Farm	201 36
School Fund, balance by report for 1884	2,634 37
" " State Appropriation	1,875 40
Road " Balance on hand February 16th, 1884	2,069 88
Poor " " "	82 56
Township Fund, balance on hand	1 66
	$25,374 54

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 18th, 1885—	
Amount Paid County Collector	$10,687 58
Taxes Remitted by Commissioners of Appeal	18 19
" " Town Committee	41 61
Uncollected Taxes of 1884	787 27
School Fund Expenditures	2,501 85
Road " "	1,987 77
Poor " "	1,103 67
Township Fund Expenditures	542 70
Paid four Township Bonds	1,600 00
Paid Premium on Township Bonds	28 00
Paid Interest on Township Bonds	96 00
Sundry Expenses in Township	618 68
The following amount on hand, viz.: School Fund, February, 1885	2,687 26

Road Fund, February, 1885	$2,182 11
Poor Fund Balance, February, 1885	80 15
Town " " " "	158 96
Unappropriated Surplus	252 74
	$25,374 54

GEORGE H. ROSE, *Chairman*,
Short Hills, Milburn Township, Essex Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF MONTCLAIR.

Amount of Funded Debt—$325,000. Composed of Bonds of Township. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Judgment against township, account of Montclair Railway Co. Falls Due—In various amounts during the years 1888 to 1918, inclusive.

Amount of Floating Debt—$14,129.34. Composed of—Town Note, $4,000; Orders on Collector, $1,370.73; School Districts, $8,758.61—$14,129.34. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—General township purposes, in anticipation of the collection of taxes.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$2,178,500.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$307,500.

Rate of Tax Levied—Montclair District, $3.09; Mt. Hebron, $3.05; Washington, $2.75.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Poor	$3,000 00
Roads	4,000 00
Gravel and Broken Stone	4,000 00
Incidentals	5,500 00
Lock-up	3,000 00
Public Buildings	4,500 00
Interest on Bonds	11,500 00
Street Lighting	3,000 00
Total	$38,500 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 1st, 1885—

Poor	$3,167 56
Gravel and Broken Stone	3,938 28
Roads	5,779 35
Legal Expenses	328 20
Public Buildings	2,865 82
Lock-up	265 97
Interest on Bonds	16,250 00
Street Lighting	2,779 93
Montclair School	16,078 99
Mt. Hebron	1,343 32
Washington	516 90
County Collector	18,077 68
Incidentals	5,966 73

THOMAS RUSSELL, *Chairman Township Committee*,
Montclair, Essex Co., New Jersey.

TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH ORANGE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,834,600.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$288,400.
Rate of Tax Levied—School District No. 27, $1.61; No. 28, $1.80; No. 30, $2.32.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$14,844 02
South Orange and Springfield avenues	2,593 73
Repairs of Highways	3,000 00
Poor Tax	500 00
District School Tax	3,983 66
To Pay School Bonds and Interest	5,641 00
Township and Incidentals	2,000 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 17th, 1885—

Paid County Collector	$20,000 00
" for Support of Poor	1,157 70
" " Repairs of Highways	2,590 97
" Poor Farm Bond	1,000 00
" Interest on Bond	30 00
" for School Purposes	8,270 99
" " Township Purposes	1,877 07

C. H. STEWART, *Chairman*,
South Orange Township, Essex Co., N. J.
P. O. Address, Hilton, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF WEST ORANGE.

Amount of Funded Debt—$199,000. Composed of Bonds of the Township. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Grading and macadamizing roads and sidewalks. Falls Due—$5,000 each year for five years next ensuing—$25,000; $100,000 in 1896 and $74,000 in 1902—$174,000.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$18,000, at par value. Composed of United States 4½ per cent. Bonds. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—To pay bonded debt.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable in 1884—$2,274,100.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$210,500.
Rate of Tax Levied—$2.21 on $100, and School Tax averaging $0.22⅓ on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State and County, $17,889.12; State Poll, $751	$18,640 12
Repairs to Roads, $4,223 83; Support of Poor, $993.84	5,217 67
Yearly Installment on Principal of Township Bonds	5,217 68
Interest on Township Bonds	14,410 68
Police, $3,230.01; Gas, $2,733.07	5,963 08
Dogs, $505; Incidentals, $6,211.52	6,716 52
Schools	4,662 65
	$60,828 40

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 3d, 1885—

1st—Current Expenditures:

Township Officers' Salaries	$3,137 55
Rent of Buildings	325 00
Gas, $1,864.92; Police Equipments and Maintenance, $2,063.02	3,927 94
Support of Poor, $772.10; Incidentals, $1,117.30	1,889 40
Printing and Advertising	154 40
	$9,434 29

2d—Debt and Interest:

Annual Payment of Township Bonds	$5,000 00
Interest on Township Bonds	13,545 00
Discount on Temporary Loans	284 79
	$18,829 79

3d—Public Works:

Repairs to Roads	$4,084 31
State and County Tax	$18,157 75

ROB'T N. DREW, *Chairman*,
Orange Valley, N. J.

COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER.

Amount of Funded Debt—None, except Surplus Revenue, for which the County stands bound to the State; amount, $30,191.71. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent., paid to Schools.

Amount of Floating Debt—$5,000. Composed of Note held by the First National Bank of Woodbury. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Discount, 6 per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—To Repair Bridges destroyed by accident and to Rebuild Almshouse Barn, destroyed by fire. Falls due October 20th, 1885.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$12,102,695 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	5,432,099 00
	$17,534,794 00
Deduct Debts	3,201,991 00
Total Amount of Real and Personal Taxable	$14,332,803 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.28 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Almshouse	$6,500 00
Paupers	400 00
Bridges	11,000 00
Elections	700 00

Expenses of Board	$850 00
Prison	1,200 00
Public Property	500 00
Stationery	500 00
Inquisitions	600 00
Schools	3,000 00
Courts	7,500 00
Lunatic Asylum	5,500 00
Printing	150 00
Discounts	300 00
Incidentals	1,300 00
Total	$40,000 00

Expenditures for the fiscal year ending May 12th, 1885—

Almshouse	$6,445 76
Paupers	426 10
Bridges	15,200 41
Elections	650 86
Expenses of Board	846 70
Prison	1,266 34
Public Property	81 20
Stationery	645 76
Coroners	340 05
Schools	2,928 12
Courts	2,033 55
Lunatic Asylum	5.646 79
Printing	125 37
Discounts	360 92
Rebuilding Almshouse Barn, destroyed by fire	2,287 37
Incidentals	920 55

MATTHIAS M. CHEW, *Director*,
Williamstown, Gloucester Co., New Jersey.

CITY OF WOODBURY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$100. Composed of Bond. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent. Falls Due—Indefinite.

Amount of Floating Debt—$700. Composed of Note. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—General expenses. Falls Due—November, 1885.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,102,950.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$516,150.

Rate of Tax Levied—City, 39 cents; County and School, 82 cents on the $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Streets	$2,800 00
Lamps	1,500 00
Police	1,000 00
Poor	200 00
Incidentals and Salaries	1,000 00
Fire	759 28
Board of Health	100 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Streets	$3,645 40
Lamps	1,095 11
Police	962 00
Poor	428 88
Incidentals and Salaries	1,380 22
Board of Health	36 00

J. DAWSON, *Mayor*,
Gloucester County, City of Woodbury.

TOWNSHIP OF DEPTFORD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$636,165.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$276,550.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.75 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State	$2,342 51
County	2,521 82
Roads	1,531 03
Incidentals	270 92
Poor	90 17

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 1st, 1885—

State	$2,342 51
County	2,461 15
Roads	1,531 03
Incidentals	270 92
Poor	90 17

HENRY M. LEAP, *Chairman Township Committee*,
Wenonah, Gloucester Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF EAST GREENWICH.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$700,517 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	348,861 00
Total	$1,049,378 00
Debts, Real and Personal	157,741 00
Amount Taxable	$891,637 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.60 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School	$2,168 14
County	2,405 10
Township	800 00
District School	967 40
Dog	82 00
Poll	312 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 9th, 1885—

Amount Paid County Collector	$4,572 24
" " Special District School	967 40
" " for Roads	584 53
" " Township Officers	329 24
" " Sheep Bill	15 50
" " Poor Bill	28 49
" " Miscellaneous Items	64 48

BENJAMIN HERITAGE, *Chairman*,
Mickleton, East Greenwich Tp., Gloucester Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$589,700.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$70,400.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.60 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School	$1,673 00
County	2,082 00
Incidentals	500 00
Bounty on Hawks	300 00
Poll	545 00
Dog	150 00
	$5,250 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Assessor	$191 76
Undertaker Bill	26 25
Printer's "	25 00
Clerk's "	83 20
Committee's "	90 00
House Rent	12 50
Board of Election	27 00
To Tax paid for Hawks	335 00
Paying out School Money	62 26
Franklin Township Tax	9 33
Bill Rendered by A. A. Smith, M. D.	25 00
Recording Tax Sale Certificates	3 00
Overseer of Poor Bill	6 00
Collector's Bill	175 25
Acknowledging Deeds	3 00
Cash Paid County Collector	3,616 90
	$4,691 45

CHARLES D. SMITH, *Chairman of Committee*,
Franklinville, Gloucester county, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF GLASSBORO.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$681,725.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$421,200.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.95 to the $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$3,226 00
State School	2,665 00
Road	1,106 00
Township	1,750 00
District School	1,025 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 10th, 1885—	
Township Officers' Fees and Expenses	$895 76
Draining Streets	562 87
Taking Care of Poor Persons	282 88
Running Street Lamps	289 74
Printing and other small Bills	60 26
	$2,091 51
Taking Care of Roads and Paths, in Labor	$1,363 33

M. C. PARKER, *Town Clerk*,
Glassboro, Gloucester county, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF GREENWICH.

Amount of Funded Debt—$2,475. Composed of Township Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt, six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Building of Roads. Falls Due on Demand.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$834,909.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable (less Liens on Real Estate)—$125,026.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.91 for $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School Tax	$2,433 36
County Tax	3,028 22
Township Tax	1,600 00
Road Tax	1,400 00
State Poll Tax	436 00
Dog Tax	84 50
Special School Taxes—Polls, $436; District 15, $289.67; District 16, $1,246.43	1,972 10
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September 18th, 1885—	
State and County Tax	$5,230 15
District School	2,271 10
Township Officers	717 82
Roads	3,697 57
Poor	120 18
Interest	6 00
Sheep	159 00
Incidentals	219 59

FRANCIS FRAY, *Chairman*,
Paulsboro, Greenwich Township, Gloucester Co.

TOWNSHIP OF HARRISON.

Amount of Funded Debt—$1,440. Composed of Town Hall. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Purchase of Town Hall. Falls Due—In annual payments for three years.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$945,950.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$623,475.75.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.70.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School Tax	$3,104 40
County School Tax	3,446 00
District School Tax	1,318 55
Roads	1,200 00
Poor	250 00
Officers' Fees	600 00
Town Hall	600 00
Poll Tax	417 00
Dog Tax	100 00
Error in Duplicate of 1884	487 77
	$11,523 72

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
Cash Paid County Collector	$6,550 40
District School	1,323 55
Roads	1,011 07
Poor	206 50
Officers' Fees	537 04
Payment on Hall	624 00
Incidental Expenses	255 10
Amount on Duplicate of 1884	85 60
Cash in Treasury	930 46
	$11,523 72

JOSEPH H. KNIGHT,
Five Points, Gloucester Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF LOGAN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,051,203.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$456,575.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.70½.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
For County	$3,249 40
" Schools	2,927 80
" Roads	1,000 00
" Poor	200 00
" Township	500 00
Total	$7,877 20

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 15th, 1885—

By Assessor's Account	$133 52
" Collector's "	306 03
" Town Clerk's "	34 45
" Roads "	942 53
" Miscellaneous	378 36
" District School Disbursement	6,228 80

JAMES WEST,
Bridgeport, Gloucester Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF MANTUA.

Amount of Real Estate and Personal Property Taxable—$851,555.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.69 to the $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

To Amount of Duplicate of 1884	$7,750 52
" " Received from County for Abutments of New Bridge	210 95
" Cash in Treasury, last Report	912 70
	$8,874 17

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 9th, 1885—

To County and State School Tax	$4,520 60
" Special School Tax	1,141 70
" Damage by Dogs	25 00
" Officers' Fees	755 97
" Committee's Expenses	20 00
" Miscellaneous Items	127 92
" Road Orders	1,336 00
Remitted and Uncollected	583 04
To Cash in Treasury	363 94
	$8,874 17

JOHN H. SHARP, *Chairman Committee*,
Barnsboro, Gloucester Co.

TOWNSHIP OF MONROE.

Amount of Funded Debt—$2,400. Composed of Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Building Township Hall. Falls Due Yearly, from 1883 to 1888.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$568,456.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$122,281.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.80 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State and County Tax	$3,389 80
Township Bonds	400 00
Officers' Fees	460 00
For Working Roads	825 00
Interest on Bonds	110 00
Incidentals	175 00
Killing Hawks	100 00
Poor of Township	200 00
District School Taxes	1,404 41
	$7,064 21

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 20th, 1885—

On Roads	$767 61
Town Hall	331 70
Interest on Township Bonds	225 00
Officers' Fees	495 19
Incidentals	102 90
Poor	36 10
Lock-up	23 88
Last Year's Bills	153 13
Killing Haws	24 00
	$2,159 51

CLAYTON B. TICE,
Williamstown, Gloucester Co.

TOWNSHIP OF WEST DEPTFORD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$855,378.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$255,944.
Rate of Tax Levied—¾ of 1 per cent.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County	$2,725 00
State School	2,452 00
Maintenance of Roads	808 00
Poor	206 00
Land Damages, New Roads	478 00
Incidentals	500 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Maintenance of Roads	$1,075 91
Land Damages, Opening New Roads	473 00
Damages Sheep and Poultry by Dogs	69 80
Poor Bills	83 00
Township Officers' Fees	429 92
Printing	18 55
Taxes Refunded	8 10
Expenses at Town Hall	22 03
Amount	$2,180 31

JOHN G. WHITALL,
Thoroughfare P. O., Gloucester Co.

WOOLRICH TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$1,130,200 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	552,300 00
	$1,682,500 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.71.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$3,576 10
School Tax	3,217 72
District School Tax	767 78
Roads	1,300 00
Officers	500 00
Dog Tax	90 00
	$9,447 60

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 14th, 1885—	
County Tax	$3,576 10
School Tax	3,213 72
District School Tax	767 78
Roads	1,670 06
Officers	601 33
Poor	51 00
Incidentals	38 00
	$9,917 99

CHARLES P. BATTEN,
Swedesboro P. O., Gloucester County, N. J.

HUDSON COUNTY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$1,608,100. Composed of Seven per cent. Bonds, $1,104,100; Six per cent. Bonds, $155,000; Five per cent. Bonds, $349,000. Contracted for Payment of War Bounties, Building Bridges and County Institutions, and to Pay General Indebtedness in Anticipation of Collection of Taxes. Falls Due—$854,100 September 1st, 1885, Seven per cent. (Refunded September 1st, 1885, at Five per cent.); $250,000, Seven per cent., June 1st, 1894; $120,000, Six per cent., Payable, $10,000 October 1st each year; $35,000, Six per cent., Payable, $5,000 May 1st each year; $318,000, Five per cent., May 1st, 1901; $31,000, Five per cent., November 1st, 1901.

Amount of Floating Debt—$240,000. Composed of Loans. Rate of Interest, Six per cent. per annum. Contracted in Anticipation of Collection of Arrears of Taxes. Falls due on call.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$9,038.78. Composed of Cash in Bank. The Purpose of the Sinking Fund is to Pay County Bonds Amounting to $318,000, issued to raise Money in Anticipation of the Collection of Arrears of Taxes, and all Arrears of Taxes Prior to 1878 are Pledged to this Fund.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$90,271,652.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$6,865,007.
Rate of Tax Levied—$5.60 on the $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised for the Fiscal Year Beginning December 1st, 1883—	
For Courts	$55,000 00
Jail, Court House, Freeholders' Office, &c	18,000 00
Penitentiary, Almshouse, Co. Lunatic Asylum, Small Pox Hospital and Repairs at Co. Institutions	160,000 00
Support of Lunatics in State Asylum	16,000 00
Compensation of Director-at-Large and Freeholders	11,000 00
Salaries of Officers	14,500 00
Fees of Coroners and Morgue Keepers	2,000 00
Expenses of Elections	4,500 00
Stationery and Indexing	4,500 00
Advertising and Printing	5,000 00
Incidental Expenses	15,000 00
Payment of Bonds falling Due	15,000 00
Payment of Interest on Bonded Debt	104,972 00
Interest on Temporary Loan	8,000 00
Permanent Improvement of Public Grounds and Buildings	25,000 00
Erection and Repairs of Bridges and Salaries of Officers on Free Bridges	10,000 00
Improvement and Repairs of Public Highways	15,000 00
Amount of the Assessment against the County for the Cost of Improvement of Secaucus Road and Paterson Ave., made by the Commissioners of Assessment, May 19th, 1876, and Placed in the Tax Levy of the Current Year in Obedience to a Writ of Mandamus by the Supreme Court	58,861 11
Total	$542,333 11

Expenditures, December 1st, 1882, to November 30th, 1883, both Dates Included—	
Courts	$47,094 00
Jail	16,712 01
County Institutions	136,023 74
Bridges	4,626 88
Coroners and Morgues	2,030 66
Compensation of Director-at-Large and Freeholders	11,000 00
Salaries of Officers	11,938 55
Expenses of Elections	4,252 85
Incidentals	22,617 49
Stationery and Indexing	3,575 51
Advertising and Printing	2,689 25
Payment of Bonds	15,000 00
Interest on Bonds	90,428 50
Interest on Loans	14,540 00
Permanent Improvement	5,814 12
Public Highways	13,872 13
Paterson Avenue and Secaucus Road Assessment	24,170 00
	$426,385 69

By resolution of the Board of Chosen Freeholders, passed November 20th, 1884 all balances of appropriations, in the aggregate $115,947.42, were transferred to the appropriation for incidental expenses, and subsequent claims amounting to $115,791.44 were charged to that account, making the total expenditures for the year $542,177.13.

WM. CLARKE, *Chairman of Committee on Finance and Audit,*
Address, Freeholders' Office, Jersey City, N. J.

CITY OF BAYONNE.

Amount of Funded Debt—$1,224,600. Composed of—City of Bayonne, 20-year Bonds, $171,000; Tax, 10-year Bonds, $250,000; Improvement, 10 and 30-year Bonds, $681,000; Water, 20-year Bonds, $118,500; War, 1-year Bonds, $4,100. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt, $285,100, 7 per cent.; $324,000, 6 per cent.; $615,500, 5 per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—20 years, City of Bayonne, for Public Buildings and Docks; Tax, 10 years, for Current Expenses, in anticipation of Taxes due; Improvement, 10 and 30 years, for Street Improvements; Water, 20 years, for the introduction of Water. Falls Due, 1886 to 1890, $488,600; 1891 to 1900, $202,000; 1901 to 1905, $183,000; 1906 to 1914, $351,000.

Amount of Floating Debt—$76,000, due Bank; $31,776, due State and County Taxes; $6,000, due sundry small expenses. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. on $76,000. Purpose for which Contracted—$76,000 for Interest and Current Expenses. Falls Due—On demand.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$62,500. Composed of—$36,000 in City of Bayonne Bonds, Sinking Fund; $26,500 in Arrears of Taxes Bonds, Sinking Fund. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—To Redeem Bonds as they fall due.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$6,861,840.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$450,200.

Rate of Tax Levied—$2.20.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School	$18,229 05
County	34,852 04
City School	21,600 00
Interest on Bonds	12,772 00
Payment War Bonds	5,100 00
General City Expenses	69,111 81
	$161,664 90

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 31st, 1885—	
Lighting Streets and Public Buildings	$13,000 00
Salaries, City Officers	11,000 00
Police	13,525 00
Fire Department	6,000 00
City Horses	500 00
Election	500 00
Printing and Advertising	1,500 00
Repairs to Streets and Docks	5,500 00
Stationery	400 00
Insurance	200 00
Legal, Incidental and Contingent	7,800 00
Board of Health	600 00
Sinking Fund	5,086 81
Interest on Bonds	12,772 00
War Bonds	5,100 00
Public Schools	21,600 00
State and County Taxes	53,081 09
Assessment on City at Large	3,500 00

These amounts are taken from Tax Levy.

D. W. OLIVER, *Mayor*,
City of Bayonne, Hudson County, N. J.

CITY OF HOBOKEN.

Amount of Funded Debt—$1,162,250. Composed of Hoboken City Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five, Six and Seven per cent.

Purpose for which Contracted—	
Volunteer Bounty Bonds	$81,500 00
City Bonds (to Fund City Indebtedness, 1872)	119,500 00
Public Square Bonds	35,000 00
Judgment Bonds (Judgment against City, 1875)	54,000 00
Bell Tower Bonds	8,000 00
Water Bonds	91,500 00
Improvement of Uptown Streets Bonds	608,000 00
Redemption of Old Improvement Certificate Bonds	46,000 00
Erection of School House Bonds	43,750 00
City Hall Bonds	60,000 00
Engine House Bonds	15,000 00
	$1,162,250 00

Falls Due—	
1885	$5,500 00
1886	12,000 00
1887	25,000 00
1888	12,000 00
1889	40,000 00
1890	31,000 00
1891	14,000 00
1892	166,500 00
1893	54,000 00
1894	15,750 00
1895	4,000 00
1896	14,000 00
1897	4,000 00
1898	341,000 00
1899	79,500 00
1900	4,500 00
1901	196,000 00
1902	24,500 00
1903	5,000 00
1905	54,000 00
1910	60,000 00
	$1,162,250 00

Amount of Floating Debt—$88,308.87. Composed of Certificates issued, which are payable from Assessments Levied on Property Benefited by the Improvement. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Improvement of Streets and Building of Sewers. Falls Due—Two Years after Date of Issue. Amount of Sinking Fund—$3,352.72. Composed of Cash. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—Consists of Collections made in excess of Assessments, and used toward Paying the Interest on the Funded Debt.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$14,618,400.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$1,344,141.34.

Rate of Tax Levied—$2.305.

Amount of Tax Raised—

For Public Schools	$36,300 00
" Police	39,000 00
" Fire Department	4,510 00
" Salaries	29,770 00
" Militia	400 00
" Relief of the Poor	3,000 00
" Lamps and Gas	14,440 00
" Sewers	1,300 00
" Street Repairing	1,700 00
" Street Cleaning	2,800 00
" Removing Ashes	2,200 00
" New Sluice Gates	1,800 00
" New Engine House	390 00
" School House No. 1, Extension	5,000 00
" State and County Tax	116,271 32
" Maturing Bonds and Interest thereon	77,775 00
	$336,656 32

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 3d, 1885—

Public Schools	$77,719 19
Police	37,182 54
Fire Department	4,601 14
Salaries	33,614 41
Militia	462 83
Poor	3,077 77
Lamps and Gas	11,864 74
Sewer	1,505 73
Street Repairing	1,702 77
Street Cleaning	2,808 10
Removing Ashes	2,202 69
Contingencies	30,378 78
Hoboken Cemetery	3,718 26
State and County Tax	126,453 29
Redemption of Improvement Certificates	10,528 94
Redemption of and Interest on Funded Debt	85,402 50
New Sluice Gates	1,349 89
New Engine Houses	377 00
School House No. 1, Extension	5,012 29
	$440,002 86

H. L. TIMKEN, *Mayor.*

CITY OF JERSEY CITY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$16,082,750.00. Composed of—General Bonds, $5,700,-250.00; Assessment Bonds, $5,869,500.00; Water Bonds, $4,513,000.00. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven per cent. on $12,373,750.00; six per cent. on $3,359,000.00; five per cent. on $350,000.00. Purposes for which contracted—Water Work, Streets and Sewers, Improvements, Public Buildings, Dock Property, Soldiers' Bounty and Difference of Assessments. Falls Due—1885 to 1890, $1,555,250.00; 1891 to 1900, $7,377,500.00; 1901 to 1913, $7,150,000.00.

Amount of Floating Debt—$1,461,000.00. Composed of—Temporary Loan Bonds. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Five per cent. and six per cent. Purposes for which contracted—To pay current expenses City Government. Falls Due—On Demand.

Amount of Sinking Fund—Fund 1873, $674,069.62; Fund 1876, $278,769.75; Fund 1882, No. 1, $6,000.00; Fund 1882, No. 2, $13,500.00; total, $972,339.37. Composed of—Water Bonds, $171,000.00; Temporary Loan Bonds, $774,565.00; Cash, $26,774.37. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—Fund 1873, has its growth from Taxes 1872, and all previous Taxes in arrears December 1st, 1873, and all moneys received from Fines and Licenses, and is to retire maturing Bonds of General Account, and all Taxes of 1873 and 1874 in arrears January 1st, 1876, make Sinking Fund 1876, established at that time to pay $400,000.00 Revenue Bonds, due June 1st, 1886, and Interest on same.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$58,374,317.00.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$4,686,940.00.

Rate of Tax Levied—$32.80 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State and County	$507,239 77
Local	1,558,142 59
	$2,065,382 36
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending November 30th, 1884—	
Board of Public Works—	
Streets and Sewers and Reconstruction	$51,650 81
Salaries	16,332 26
Claims	2,893 19
Total	$70,876 26
Board of Police—	
Salaries	$138,493 99
Claims	91,982 95
Total	$230,476 94
Board of Aldermen—	
Salaries	$13,545 68
Outdoor Poor	9,285 11
Claims	17,527 77
Total	$40,358 56
Board of Fire—	
Salaries	$69,941 20
Claims	20,139 20
Total	$90,080 40
Board of Education—	
Salaries	$194 849 13
Claims	16,569 44
Total	$211,418 57
Board of Finance and Taxation—	
Interest on Bonds	$837,391 21
Salaries	50,978 90
Claims	28,763 37
Total	$917,133 48

S. D. DICKINSON,
Jersey City.

TOWN OF GUTTENBERG.

Amount of Funded Debt—$67,003.75., Principal and Interest. Composed of Hudson Avenue Improvement Bonds and Interest, $35,395; Herrmann Avenue Improvement Bonds and Interest, $31,608.75. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Street Improvements. Falls Due—January 1st, 1886.

Amount of Floating Debt—$15,489.41.

Composed of—

	Principal and Interest.
Second and Third Street Certificates	$7,932 16
Herrmann Avenue Certificates	675 76
Fourth Street Certificates	231 10
Fifth Street Certificates	728 23
Hudson Avenue Certificates	5,439 73
Hudson Avenue Due Bills	251 40
Herrmann Avenue Due Bills	231 03
	$15,489 41

Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Seven per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Street Improvements. Falls Due—Past due.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$367,210.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$15,700.

Rate of Tax Levied—$4.96.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School	$958 59
County	1,837 97
Town	995 66
Fire Department	153 17
Special School	652 45
Special Judgment Tax	14,397 54

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending April 1st, 1885—	
Public School	$3,149 75
Town Purposes, Roads, &c	1,793 23
Fire Department	29 98
Poor	83 02
State and County Tax	2,142 77
Judgment Tax	120 63

CHARLES KLEIN, *Chairman*,
Guttenberg, Hudson County, N. J.

TOWN OF HARRISON.

Amount of Funded Debt—$285.300. Composed of Street Improvement Bonds, $259.300; Town Hall Bonds, $19,500; Fire Department Bonds, $6,500. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five, six, and seven per cent. Purpose for which contracted—As above stated. Falls Due—Street Improvement Bonds, July 1st, 1911; Town Hall Bonds, July 1st, 1893; Fire Department Bonds, July 1st, 1884.

Amount of Floating Debt—$18,182.80. Composed of Certificates of Indebtedness, $5,682.80; Temporary Loan Bonds, $12,500. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—

Temporary Loan Bonds, six per cent.; Certificates of Indebtedness bear no interest. Purpose for which contracted—To pay Interest and Incidental Expenses. Falls Due—Certificates of Indebtedness, one-fifth annually; Temporary Loan Bonds, on demand.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$5,482 95. Composed of Town Bonds. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—Established for the redemption of maturing Town Bonds.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,761,500.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$61,500.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.71, including State and County.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Lighting Streets	$3,820 00
Streets and Sewer Basins	300 00
Public Wells and Pumps	200 00
Street Lamps	100 00
Scavenger Work	400 00
Police	900 00
Legal Expenses	1,000 00
Election Expenses	160 00
Support of Poor	800 00
Fire Purposes	700 00
Printing and Stationery	300 00
Contingent	850 00
Officers' Salaries	3,250 00
Interest on Bonds	14,720 00
Certificates of Indebtedness	5,677 00
Sinking Fund	1,280 00
School Purposes	2,806 36

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending December 31st, 1884—

Interest on Bonds	$15,984 50
Certificates of Indebtedness	6,428 20
Special School Tax	1,670 51
Compensation of Expert	1,160 00
Gas	4,995 74
Salaries	3,925 33
Police	1,345 33
Poor and Alms	791 88
Street Lamps	341 71
Printing	252 37
Scavenger	150 00
Fire Purposes	998 22
Temporary Loan Bonds	3,298 67
Streets	1,266 59
Wells and Pumps	84 25
Election	90 00
Contingent	1,065 20

EDWARD J. RICE, *President of the Common Council,*
Town of Harrison, County of Hudson.

TOWN OF UNION.

Amount of Funded Debt—$77,500. Composed of—Bull's Ferry Road Sewer Bond $24,500; Bull's Ferry Road Bonds, $15,000; Gardner Street Bonds, $14,000; an School-House Bonds, $24,000. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six and five per cen Purposes for which Contracted—Bull's Ferry Road Sewer, Bull's Ferry Road, Gardn

Street and New School House Improvements. Falls Due—Bull's Ferry Road Sewer Bonds, $10,000 due January 1st, 1888, and $14,500 due January 1st, 1890; Bull's Ferry Road Bonds, $15,000 past due January 1st, 1885; Gardner Street Bonds, $4,500 due January 1st, 1888 and $9,500 due January 1st, 1890; School-House Bonds, $24,000—$3,000 due each year.

Amount of Floating Debt—$33,788.29. Composed of—Improvement Certificates. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Gardner Street Sewer, Blum Street Sewer, Hudson Avenue Sewer, New York Avenue Sewer, Bergenline Avenue Extension Sewer and Cleaning Snow and Ice from Sidewalks. Falls Due—1885 and 1886.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$24,762.43. Composed of—Bull's Ferry Road Bonds, $12,900; and Cash, $158.43; total, $13,058.43; and School-House Bonds, $10,500; and Cash, $1,204; total, $11,704. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—To redeem Bull's Ferry Road Sewer Bonds and Gardner Street Bonds.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,402,600.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$54,200.
Rate of Tax Levied—$2.22.

Amount of Tax Raised—

School Purposes—New School-house Bonds	$6,996 72
County	6,685 34
Police	2,000 00
Street Light	4,000 00
Fire Department and Hydrants	800 00
Poor	300 00
Incidental	2,000 00
Streets and Sewers	3,000 00
Bull's Ferry Road Bonds Interest	1,050 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year Ending March 20th, 1885—

School	$16,618 78
New School-house Bonds	4,350 00
County	6,685 34
Police	3,388 35
Street Light	3,388 86
Fire Department and Hydrants	729 13
Poor	341 20
Incidental	7,210 51
Streets and Sewers	2,996 98
Bull's Ferry Road Bonds Interest	1,050 00

FRED. C. HANSEN, *Chairman*,
Weehawken P. O.

TOWN OF WEST HOBOKEN.

Amount of Funded Debt—$128,400. Composed of—$41,500, Assessment Bonds; $86,900, Bonds to Renew Maturing Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven and six per cent. per annum. Purpose for which contracted—$41,500 for Assessment due the town for general benefit from Street Improvement; $86,900, Bonds to Renew Maturing Bonds. Falls Due—January 1st, 1898, $500; July 1st, 1900, $10,000; July 1st, 1911, $11,000; January 1st, 1890, $4,400; January 1st, 1892, $8,000; January 1st, 1903, $21,500; January 1st, 1911, $7,000; January 1st, 1897, $18,000; July 1st, 1900, $24,000; July 1st, 1910, $27,000.

Amount of Floating Debt—Composed of $1,500, Street Improvement Bonds, at five per cent. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Five per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Redemption of Improvement Certificates. Falls Due—$1,500, January 1st, 1888.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$9,834.56. Composed of—$8,000 in Bonds, $1,834.56 Cash. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—Redemption of Assessment Bonds and Bonds to Renew Maturing Bonds.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,984,960.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$77,600.

Rate of Tax Levied—$2.12 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School Tax	$5,142 00
County "	9,830 97
Public School "	2,500 00
Gas and Lamps	3,000 00
Street Repairs	3,000 00
Fire Department and Hydrants	1,500 00
Police	2,500 00
Poor	600 00
Interest	6,334 00
Incidental	3,904 30
Sinking Fund	415 00
Fire Escapes	3,000 00
Crusher	2,000 00
Salary for Collector and Assessor	1,300 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
Public School, Received from State and County	$14,195 40
Police Department	3,092 90
Gas and Lamps	3,504 88
Road Repairs	3,231 76
Fire Department and Hydrants	1,359 13
Poor Account	668 54
Crusher	430 00
Interest on Assessment Bonds	2,887 50
" " Funded Bonds	5,562 00
Incidental Account	6,287 20

ALFRED DEBEVOISE, *Chairman*,
West Hoboken, Hudson Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF KEARNY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$187,612.30.

Composed of—

Building Improvement Bonds	$8,000 00
Temporary Improvement Bonds	27,812 30
Montclair Railroad Redemptive Bonds	151,800 00
	$187,612 30

Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five, six and seven per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Building School Houses; Kearny and Davis Avenue Improvements, and Bonds issued in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act to authorize certain townships, towns and cities to issue bonds, and to take the bonds of the Montclair Railroad Company," approved April 9th, 1868, and the supplements thereto. Falls Due—

"BONDED INDEBTEDNESS."

BUILDING IMPROVEMENT BONDS.

Nos.	Amount.	Date of Issue.	To Whom Issued.	For What Issued.	When Payable.	Where Payable.	Interest.	When Interest Payable.	Where Interest Payable.	By Whom Signed.	Total.
			Bearer	Building School Kearny Ave		Mech. Nat. Bank Newark	7 p. ct.		Mechanics' Nat. Bank, Newark	Jas. Johnston	
4	$1,000	Oct. 7, 1873	"	"	Oct. 7, 1883	"	"	7th April & Oct.	"	"	$1,000 00
7	500	Dec. 21, 1873	"	"	Dec. 12, 1883	"	"	12th June & Dec.	"	"	500 00
8	500	Jan. 29, 1877	"	School Furniture	July 1, 1887	Am.T.Co.New'k.	"	1st Jan. & July.	Am. Trust Co., Newark.	Alex. Jacobus	500 00
11 to 16	1,000 ea.	June 10, 1879	"	Build. Sch'l at Arlington	June 10, 1889	1st Nat.B'k J.C'y.	6 p. ct.	10th June & Dec.	1st Nat. Bank, J. City	Jas. A. Bell	6,000 00
											$8,000 00

TEMPORARY IMPROVEMENT BONDS.

Nos.	Amount.	Date of Issue.	To Whom Issued.	For What Issued.	When Payable.	Where Payable.	Interest.	When Interest Payable.	Where Interest Payable.	By Whom Signed.	Total.
1	$500	June 27, 1876	Bearer	Kearny Ave. Impr'v'm't	July 1, 1881	Amer. Trust Co., Newark	7 p. ct.	1st Jan. & July.	American Trust Co., Newark	Henry Boan	$500 00
2 to 3	1,000 ea.	July 8, 1876	"	" " "	" 1, 1881	"	"	" "	"	"	2,000 00
4	1,000	" 28, 1876	"	" " "	" 1, 1881	"	6 p. ct.	" "	"	Alex. Jacobus	1,000 00
7	1,000	" 28, 1876	"	" " "	Jan. 1, 1883	"	7 p. ct.	" "	"	"	1,000 00
9	1,000	" 28, 1876	"	" " "	July 1, 1883	"	"	" "	"	"	1,000 00
12	1,812.30	Dec. 27, 1873	"	Improvements	Dec. 27, 1878	Mec. Nat. Bank.	"	27th June & Dec.	Mec. Nat. B'k, Newark.	Jas. Johnston	1,812 30
26	500	Nov. 22, 1875	"	"	Nov. 22, 1880	"	"	22d May & Nov.	"	"	500 00
27 to 38	500 ea.	Feb. 13, 1882	"	Kearny Ave. Impr'v'm't	Mar. 1, 1890	1st Nat.B'k J.C'y.	6 p. ct.	1st Mar. & Sept.	1st Nat. Bank, J. City.	Byron Bininger.	6,000 00
39 to 41	1,000 "	" 28, 1882	"	Kearny and Davis Ave's	" 1, 1885	"	"	" "	"	"	3,000 00
42 to 44	1,000 "	" 28, 1882	"	" " "	" 1, 1886	"	"	" "	"	"	3,000 00
45 to 47	1,000 "	" 28, 1882	"	" " "	" 1, 1887	"	"	" "	"	"	3,000 00
48 to 50	1,000 "	" 28, 1882	"	" " "	" 1, 1888	"	"	" "	"	"	3,000 00
51 to 52	1,000	" 28, 1882	"	" " "	" 1, 1889	"	"	" "	"	"	2,000 00
											$27,812 30

MONTCLAIR RAILROAD REDEMPTIVE BONDS.

Nos.	Amount.	Date of Issue.	To Whom Issued.	For What Issued.	When Payable.	Where Payable.	Interest.	When Interest Payable.	Where Interest Payable.	By Whom Signed.	Total.
1 to 94	$1,000 ea.	June 1, 1882	Barker Gummere or bearer	Redempt'n of Montclair R. R. Bond	June 1, 1902	Cent'l Trust Co., N. Y. City	5 p. ct.	1st Jan. & Dec.	Central Trust Co., New York City	R. P. Messiter	$94,000 00
95 to 103	1,000 "	" 1, 1883	"	"	" 1, 1903	"	"	" "	"	John Quinn	9,000 00
104	500	" 1, 1884	"	"	" 1, 1904	"	"	" "	"	"	500 00
105	100	" 1, 1884	"	"	" 1, 1904	"	"	" "	"	"	100 00
106 to 107	500 ea.	" 1, 1884	"	"	" 1, 1904	"	"	" "	"	"	1,000 00
140	100	" 1, 1884	"	"	" 1, 1904	"	"	" "	"	"	100 00
245 to 246, 249 to 252	1,000 ea.	" 1, 1884	"	"	" 1, 1904	"	"	" "	"	"	6,000 00
264 to 284	1,000 "	" 2, 1884	"	"	" 1, 1904	"	"	" "	"	Wm. Green	21,000 00
110 to 131	500 "	" 2, 1884	"	"	" 1, 1904	"	"	" "	"	"	11,000 00
143 to 233	100 "	" 2, 1884	"	"	" 1, 1904	"	"	" "	"	"	9,100 00
											$151,800 00

Total Bonded Indebtedness, $187,612.30. Kearny Township, March 2d, 1885. JOSEPH PARKER, Jr., *Treasurer.*

Amount of Floating Debt—$24,191.28.

Composed of—

State and County Taxes (1877)	$12,543 36
Davis Avenue Opening Damages	4,198 10
Certificates of Indebtedness	4,350 00
Kearny Avenue Assessment	2,910 58
Davis Avenue Assessment	189 24
	$24,191 28

Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Opening Streets; Temporary Loans; Re-assessing Avenues.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,629,045.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$166,254.

Rate of Tax Levied—$2.34 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$8,421 67
State School Tax	4,404 88
Township School Tax	2,600 00
Police	600 00
Poor and Alms	200 00
Gas	2,500 00
Roads and Highways	1,000 00
Redemption of Bonds and Interest	1,070 00
Salaries	725 00
Contingent Expenses	4,000 00
Interest on Public Debt	16,000 00
Latham Street Improvement	416 25

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 28th, 1885—

County Taxes	$12,553 13
School Taxes	4,430 32
Interest on Bonds, &c	18,735 91
Contingent Account	3,950 68
Poor and Alms	221 12
Police	957 94
Roads and Highways	1,544 96
Gas and Gas Lamps	2,892 08
Salary	786 76
Judgments	12 29
Certificates	1 94
Assessments	4,675 89
Public Schools	5,880 21
Loans	44,600 00
Saloon License	1 30
Dog Notices	3 00
Bonds	6 10

WILLIAM LOGAN, *Chairman*,
Kearny Township, Hudson County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF NORTH BERGEN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,925,535.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$101,650.

Rate of Tax Levied—District No. 1, $1.50; District No. 2, $1.12; District No. 3, $1.11; District No. 4, $0.94; District No. 5, $0.94.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School Tax	$5,042 51
County Tax	9,640 75
Road Tax	2,000 00
Poll Tax	645 00
Dog Tax	207 00
Current Expense Tax	2,086 62
Special School Tax	4,183 00
License for Inns and Taverns	1,150 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
State School Tax	$5,042 51
County Tax	9,640 75
Road Tax	2,829 24
Special Road Tax	41 30
Current Expense Tax	3,290 07
License Account	615 65

CHARLES PINNELL, *Chairman*,
New Durham, Hudson County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF UNION.

Amount of Floating Debt—$7,429.81. Composed of Taxes due County Collector for State School and County Tax.
Amount of Real and Personal Property Taxable—$639,950.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.84.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County Tax	$2,693 96
State School	1,550 29
Roads	300 00
Poor	250 00
District No. 9 Tax	500 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
County Collector for County and State School	$4,036 34
School No. 9	1,316 94
" " 10	1,434 70
For Roads	51 00
For Poor	23 45
General Disbursement	446 36
Outstanding Tax and Tax Warrants—	
For Year ending March, 1878	$1,024 41
" " " 1879	597 84
" " " 1880	669 86
" " " 1881	932 61
" " " 1882	921 70
" " " 1883	902 58
" " " 1884	2,658 27
West Shore Terminal Company Taxes Assessed by State Board Assessors	9,186 80
	$16,894 07

WM. H. SCHMID, *Chairman*,
P. O. Box 47, Weehawken, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF WEEHAWKEN.

Amount of Funded Debt—$59,000. Composed of—Bull's Ferry Road Improvement Bonds, $44,000. Sewer Bonds, $15,000. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven and five per cent., payable semi-annually. Purpose for which contracted—As above. Falls Due—$30,000 Bull's Ferry Road Improvement Bonds in 1886; $15,000 Sewer Bonds in 1905; and $14,000 Bull's Ferry Road Improvement Bonds in 1905.

Amount of Floating Debt—$5,759.58. Composed of—Township warrants. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—To meet Current Expenses of the Township.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,605,025.00.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$44,850.00.
Rate of Tax Levied—Real Estate, $1.525; Personal, $1.525.

Amount of Tax Raised—$40,172.78.

For Police	$7,200 00
For Lamps	1,200 00
For Roads and Sewers	2,500 00
For Incidentals	2,500 00
For Poor	300 00
For Salaries	2,500 00
For Fire Department	2,500 00
For Assessment Map	300 00
For Interest on Road and Sewer Bonds	4,200 00
For Redemption of Road and Sewer Bonds	1,000 00
For Schools	4,000 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 16th, 1885—

For Police	$5,984 07
For Lamps	964 65
For Roads and Sewers	2,176 03
For Incidentals	1,844 26
For Poor	241 75
For Salaries	2,111 50
For Assessment Map	300 00
For Schools	4,066 04
For Fire Department, House	1,200 00
For " " Hose	810 00
For " " Incidentals	353 40
For Redemption of Road Bond	1,000 00
For State School Tax	4,111 68
For County Tax	7,861 10
For Interest on Road and Sewer Bonds	4,200 00
Total	$37,224 48

Arrears of Taxes for the years 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883 and 1884—$9,679.77.

The State Board of Railroad Assessors have decided that the property of the W. S. and O. Terminal Co. (assessed at $2,753,130.72), wholly escapes paying taxes for township and county purposes. Steps have been taken to meet the wishes of the taxpayers in the matter.

SIMON KELLY, *Chairman*,
Hoboken P. O., Station A.

HUNTERDON COUNTY.

CITY OF LAMBERTVILLE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,390,366.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$776,154.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.15 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$6,833 90
State School Tax	4,925 04
Support of Public Schools	1,800 00
Support of Poor	1,100 00
Street Lamps and Gas	1,300 00
Streets	1,538 29
Fire Department and Water Supply	1,600 00
Police	750 00
Salaries and Fees	1,300 00
Board of Health and Contingent Expenses	1,000 00
Total	$22,147 23

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 1st, 1885—

Poor	$973 04
Police	751 56
Fire	1,161 88
Election	135 50
Streets	1,538 29
Street Lamps and Gas	1,269 68
Salaries and Fees	1,333 50
Printing, Stationery and Stamps	370 94
Miscellaneous Expenses	1,235 58
County Tax	6,833 90
State School Tax	4,925 04
Public School Fund	1,800 00
Board of Health Fund	150 00
Total	$22,478 91

RICHARD McDOWELL, *Mayor*,
Lambertville, Hunterdon County, N. J.

BOROUGH OF FRENCHTOWN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$353,375.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$340,084.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.555 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$1,958 81
State School Tax	1,411 44
Extra School Tax	172 68
Borough Purposes	1,395 00
	$4,837 93

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending April 1st, 1885—

County Tax	$1,958 81
State School Tax	1,411 44
Extra School Tax	172 68
Borough Purposes	1,102 29
	$4,645 22

A. P. KACHLINE, *Mayor*,
Frenchtown, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF ALEXANDRIA.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable		$793,286 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable		375,445 00
		$1,168,731 00
Amount of Debts in Township		358,996 00
Wealth of Township		$809,735 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$9.50 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised, including Polls and Dog Tax		$8,228 46
School	$2,073 76	
County	2,898 68	
		4,972 44
Appropriated for Tax Expenditures		$3,256 02

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending October 1st, 1885—

For Roads	$1,500 00
" Poor	1,000 00
" Collector's Services	130 00
" Assessor's "	130 00
" Clerk's "	60 00
" Committee's "	90 00
" Sheep Bills	20 00
" Snow Bills	40 00
" Election Bills	25 50
" Township Election	25 50
" Incidental Bills	135 00
Balance in Hand	100 02
Total Expenditures	$3,256 02

EDWARD MECHLIN, *Chairman of Committee*,
Mount Pleasant, Hunterdon Co., N J.

TOWNSHIP OF CLINTON.

Amount of Floating Debt—$1,300. Composed of three Notes. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Poor. Falls Due—December, 1885.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,055,000.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$595,150.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.10 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$4,017 34
State School Tax	2,873 41
Poor Tax	2,000 00
Road Tax	1,800 00
Incidental Tax	1,500 00
Dog Tax	218 75
	$12,409 50

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending October 1st, 1885—

County Tax	$4,017 34
State School Tax	2,873 41
Poor Tax	2,000 00
Road Tax	1,800 00
Incidental Tax	1,500 00
Dog Tax	218 75
	$12,409 50

GEO. M. FRECH, Jr., *Chairman*,
Annandale, Hunterdon County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF DELAWARE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$810,400.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$1,571,600.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.94 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County	$6,593 10
State School	4,709 57
Road	3,000 00
Poor	1,200 00
Incidental	734 03
Poll	800 00
Land Damage	1,111 35
Special School (Sand Brook District)	919 00
" " (Stockton ")	1,785 80
" " (Sergeants ")	1,158 00
	$22,010 95

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

County	$6,593 10
State School	4,475 80
Road	3,393 82
Poor	1,113 95
Incidentals, including Officers' Fees	1,534 03
Land Damage	560 25
Special School (Sand Brook District)	919 00
" " (Stockton ")	1,785 80
" " (Sergeants ")	300 00
	$20,675 75

JOSEPH SERVIS,
Sergeantsville, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF EAST AMWELL.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$255. Composed of Balance of Surplus Revenue in Notes.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$647,799.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$500,740.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.825 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

For County	$4,102 46
State Schools	2,957 04
For Roads	1,400 00
" Poor	900 00
" Incidentals	500 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 10th, 1885—

Roads	$1,278 92
Poor	1,055 99
Incidentals	573 00
County Tax	4,102 46
State Schools	2,957 04

DAVID NEVIUS, *Chairman Committee,*
Clover Hill, Hunterdon Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN.

Amount of Floating Debt—$250. Purpose for which Contracted—Keeping the Poor Six Months. Falls Due May 1st, 1885.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$8,722.88.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$3,235.27.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.93.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County	$3,510 68
School	2,530 29
Roads	2,200 00
Poor	900 00
Total	$9,140 97

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

County	$3,510 68
School	2,530 29
Roads	222 00
Poor	500 00
Total	$8,740 97
Balance in Treasury	400 00
	$9,140 97

J. VAN KINNEY,
Sidney P. O., Franklin, Hunterdon County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF HIGH BRIDGE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$803,314.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$309,427.
Rate of Tax Levied—$10.58 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County and State School	$5,399 54
Poor	1,800 00
Road	1,700 00
Polls	408 00
Dogs	359 05

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Collector State School and County	$5,399 54
Road	1,700 28
Poor	2,134 27
Township Expenses	708 55
Sheep Bills	303 00

O. W. CHRYSTIE, *Chairman Town Committee,*
High Bridge, Hunterdon County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF HOLLAND.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$6,570.20.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$3.155.61.
Rate of Tax Levied—$8.00 on every $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County	$4,038 19
School Tax	2,910 98
Township Tax	2,776 64

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September 30th, 1885—

Township Expenses	$662 41
Road "	1,487 59
Poor	808 50

N. H. HUNT, *Chairman,*
Milford.

TOWNSHIP OF KINGWOOD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$518,104.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$443,391.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.93 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

For Poor	$900 00
For Roads	1,500 00
For Incidental	600 00
State School	2,452 78
For County Tax	3,403 18

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February, 1885—

For Road Purposes	$1,958 32
Incidentals	742 33
For Poor Purposes	862 50

A. W. VAN DOLCH, *Chairman of Township Committee,*
Frenchtown, Hunterdon Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF LEBANON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$732,930 00.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$252,520.00.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.01.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax		$3,145 74
School Tax		2,297 00
Poor	$2,000 00	
Roads	1,600 00	
Township Expenses	800 00	
		4,400 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 14th, 1885—

Poor Account	$2,073 41
Roads	1,483 48
Township Expenses	737 30

J. WATSON BANGHART,
Anthony.

TOWNSHIP OF RARITAN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,546,160.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$1,165,130.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.91 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$9,684 84
State School Tax	6,981 00
Road Tax	5,000 00
New Road Tax	1,250 00
Poor Tax	500 00
Incidental	1,500 00
For Damage to Sheep	364 50
For Board of Health	50 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 14th, 1885—

On Repair of Roads	$2,438 83
On New Roads	1,250 00
On Poor	2,477 97
Sheep Bills	331 35
Incidental	1,464 13
Board of Health	50 00

WILLIAM B. SWALLOW, *Chairman*,
Flemington.

READINGTON TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,091,116.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$762,871.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.08.

Amount of Tax Raised—$21,617.49

State School Tax	$4,762 85
County Tax	6,607 75
Road Tax	2,500 00
Poor Tax	3,000 00
District School Tax	574 44
Dog Tax	250 00
Payment on Debt	500 00
New Roads	450 00
Incidentals	2,972 45
	$21,617 49

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending April 1st, 1885—

State School Tax	$4,762 85
County Tax	6,607 75
Public Road Tax	2,414 94
Poor Tax	2,756 57
Dog Tax (sheep bills)	142 50
District Schools	560 45
Printing Reports	22 00
Election Expenses	60 00
Counsel Fees	47 22
Collector's Fees	235 32
Assessor's Fees	204 20
Committee's Fees	82 00
Clerk's Fees	52 00
Commissioners of Appeal	21 00
Tax Warrants	2 24
Interest	116 75
New Roads	600 00
Road Scrapers	313 00
Remitted by Committee	354 17
In hands of Treasurer and uncollected Taxes	2,262 53
	$21,617 49

JOHN K. FOSTER, *Chairman of Committee*,
Flemington P. O., County of Hunterdon, Township of Readington.

TOWNSHIP OF WEST AMWELL.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$408,542.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$99,214.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.86.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County Tax	$2,366 33
School Tax	1,705 35
Roads	1,200 00
Poor	600 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending Feb. 9th, 1885—	
Incidentals, County Tax	$4,767 44
Roads	1,101 13
Poor	550 17
School Purposes	1,701 16

HOWARD C. SMITH, *Chairman*,
Hunterdon County, West Amwell Township, Mt. Airy.

MERCER COUNTY.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$25,233,375.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$10,436,176.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$100,000 00
State School	79,482 91
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 11th, 1885—	
Bridges	$22,853 55
Courts	12,255 27
Court House	10,362 63
Board of Prisoners	3,373 21
Constables	1,768 30
Coroners and Morgue	209 96
Justices of the Peace	1,621 94
New Jersey Lunatic Asylum	20,366 59
Printing and Stationery	1,818 39
Interest	593 98
Board of Election	1,283 20
County School Examiners	88 00
Officers' Salaries	11,126 12
Tramps	284 71
Soldiers' Burial	1,300 00
State School Tax	79,482 91
Incidentals	454 79

FREDK. WALTER, *Director of Board of Chosen Freeholders.*

CITY OF TRENTON.

Amount of Funded Debt—$952,700, including $265.000 of Bonds issued upon requisition of the Commissioners of the Trenton Water Works. Composed of Coupon and Registered Bonds, issued for periods of ten to thirty years. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—$120,000 at seven per cent; $585,000 at six per cent; $15,000 at five per cent.; $232,700 at four per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Volunteers, $240,000; Deficiencies, $304,000; School Buildings, $45,500; State Street Pavement, $3,500; Street Improvements, $89,712; Water, $265,000. Falls due—1885, $15,000; 1886, $15,000; 1887, $37,300; 1888, $72,700; 1889, $15,000; 1890, $130,000; 1891, $22,000; 1892, $31,200; 1893, $54,000; 1894, $135,500; 1895, $175,000; 1896, $15,000; 1897, $15,000; 1898, $20,000; 1899, $15,000; 1900, $15,000; 1911, $170,000.

Amount of Floating Debt—$138,668.29; since report $130,000 of this debt has been bonded. Composed of Notes in Bank, $50,000. Due County of Mercer on Taxes in arrears, $25,107.72; Commissioner of Sinking Fund, $22,369.47; Superintendent of Public Schools, $8,100; Interest, $500; Outstanding Orders, $32,591.10. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. on $50,000. Purposes for which contracted—Temporary Loan in anticipation of Taxes for the current year. Falls Due—March 30th, 1885. Amount of Sinking Fund—$347.012.82. Composed of Convertible Securities. Nature, purpose and condition of Sinking Fund—It was created and maintained for the Reduction and Payment of the Debt of the City, and consists of Receipts from Annual Appropriations, Assessments for Street Improvements, Surplus Water Rents and Interest on Securities.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$11,761,970.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$4,211,027.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.50 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Poll Tax	$6,783 00
State School	39,828 50
County	50,107 72
Current Expenses	116,254 79

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 28th, 1885—	
Alms House	$7,571 01
City Hall	1,360 25
Elections	1,858 00
Fire	12,367 42
Poor	4,629 73
Lamps	6,413 46
Police	21,837 35
Printing	3,598 59
Salaries	15,453 96
Streets	10,572 54
Contingencies	2,459 16
Board of Health	500 00
Pavement of Streets	4,338 25
Orders of Previous Years	20,179 82
City Sinking Fund Appropriation	15,500 00
City Sinking Fund Street Improvement Collections	9,176 62
County Tax	25,000 00
State School Tax	39,828 50
Public Schools, from State School Fund Appropriation	2,303 56
Public Schools, from State School Tax Appropriation	32,479 18
Public Schools, Appropriation from City	8,000 00
Interest on Loans	49,251 50
Interest on Loans for Water Works	15,945 00

RICHARD A. DONNELLY, *Mayor*,
Trenton.

BOROUGH OF CHAMBERSBURG.

Amount of Funded Debt—$67,000. Composed of Borough Bonds, such as Water and Improvement Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five, Six and Seven per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—For Supplying the Borough with Water and Improving the Streets and Public Buildings. Falls Due on the Following Years: 1886, 1888, 1890, 1894, 1905. Amount of Floating Debt—$5,000. Composed of Borough Note. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—In anticipation of Taxes of 1885 to pay the Current Expenses of the Year. Falls Due on January 26th, 1929. Amount of Sinking Fund—$500, also the Appropriation of 1885, which amount is $2,300. Due on January 1st, 1886. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—To pay Bonds as they come due.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,632 567.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$616,948.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.50 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
To Two Mill School Tax	$5,500 00
To County Tax	5,000 00
To Borough Tax	25,350 00
To Special School Tax	6,000 00
Total	$41,850 00

RICHARD A. HOWELL, *Mayor*,
Chambersburg.

BOROUGH OF PRINCETON.

Amount of Real Estate and Personal Property Taxable—$1,922,175.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0 30 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Tax Warrant, 1884	$6,936 90
Taxes in Arrears, 1878–1883	189 18
Licenses	1,150 00
Township Road Money	750 00
Fines; Interest and Costs; Use of Council Chamber	136 99
Balance on Hand from 1883	4,198 81
	$12,821 92

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
Streets	$5,212 72
Lighting Streets	2,507 02
Fire and Water	2,743 19
Police	491 11
Salaries	1,057 94
Board of Health	27 29
Incidentals	406 56
From License Fund	181 13
	$12,626 96

JOSIAH W. WRIGHT, *Mayor*,
Princeton, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF EAST WINDSOR.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$772,595.40.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$595,823.60.
Rate of Tax Levied—Borough, $0.61; Township, $0.69 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

School Tax	$3,556 80	Rate	.26
County Tax	3,830 49	"	.28
Road Tax	550 89	"	.08
Township Tax	970 50	"	.07
Dog Tax	164 45	"	.65
Poll Tax	619 00		

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

School Tax	$3,556 80
County Tax	3,830 49
Roads	590 00
Township Tax Estimated	2,000 00

LEVI C. UPDIKE,
Hightstown.

TOWNSHIP OF EWING.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$837,822.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$366,578.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.80 per $100; Special School (1 District), $0.34 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School Tax	$2,939 00
County Tax	3,697 78
Poor Tax	1,700 00
Road Tax	1,000 00
Special School, 1 District	50 00
Other Township Tax	1,515 25

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 12th, 1885—

State School	$2,939 00
County	3,697 78
Poor	1,245 00
Roads	1,000 00
Sheep and Poultry Bill	96 00
Officers' Fees	749 67
Sundry Bills, Printing, etc	160 14

WILLIAM C. TINDALL, *Chairman*,
Ewingville.

HOPEWELL TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,752,810.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$1,385,440.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.72 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School	$7,556 48
County	9,505 49
Township	7,109 63

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

School	$7,556 48
County	9,505 49
Road	2,839 75
Sheep	706 50
Poor	1,695 63
Printing, Fees, Election and other Expenses	1,098 30

JOHN FLEMING, *Chairman Committee,*
Hopewell Township, Mercer County, P. O. Pennington.

TOWNSHIP OF LAWRENCE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$711,429.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$101,625.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.90 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$3,024 54
School Tax	2,403 70
Township Tax	3,200 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 10th, 1885—

County Tax	$3,024 54
School Tax	2,403 70
Poor Expenses	565 63
Election Expenses	63 00
Printing	15 50
New Road	643 50
Road Districts	1,091 97
Officers' Fees	598 05
Incidentals	48 50

SAMUEL H. HUNT, *Chairman,*
P. O. Lawrenceville.

MILLHAM TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$654,825.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$18,150.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.01.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$2,056 88
State School Tax	1,634 45
Special School Tax	550 00
Fire Appropriation	300 00
Roads Appropriation	500 00
Poor Appropriation	600 00
Lamps Appropriation	300 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

County Tax	$2,056 88
State School Tax	1,634 45
Special School Tax	550 00
Fire Appropriation	300 00
Roads	499 86
Poor	927 08
Lamps	460 29
Officers' Fees	803 30
Other Expenses	226 70

JAMES CASEY, *Chairman*,
Millham, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF PRINCETON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,727,170.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$961,877.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.94 per $100. (Average.)

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School Tax	$8,447 01
County Tax	6,714 90
Special School Tax	2,207 00
Roads	2,800 00
Support of Poor	3,550 00
Incidentals	1,400 00
Poll Tax	852 00
Dog Tax	182 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 14th, 1885—

State School Tax	$8,447 01
County Tax	6,714 90
Support of Public Schools	6,322 08
County Clerk for Recording Liens	6 15
Support of Poor	3,800 67
Roads	2,843 63
Incidentals	1,264 86
Sheep and Poultry Bills	69 75
Discount on Note	46 24

HENRY E. HALE, *Chairman*,
Princeton.

TOWNSHIP OF WEST WINDSOR.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$2,600. Composed of Mortgages and Notes. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—For School Fund.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$971,375.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$427,160.

Amount of Tax Raised—

School Tax	$2,862 76
County Tax	3,153 30
For Roads	800 00
" Poor	800 00
" Incidentals	50 00
" Dog Tax, 50 cents each.	

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 26th, 1885—

Paid Schools	$1,570 96
" Two-Mill Tax	2,807 30
" County Tax	3,532 19
" Roads	761 96
" Poor Expenses	853 32
" Sheep and Turkey Bills	23 00
" Discriminations	37 17
" Tax on Mortgages	10 44
" Expenses of Township (not enumerated above)	459 95
	$10,055 79

JOSEPH H. GROVER, *Chairman*,
Princeton Junction.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

CITY OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

Amount of Floating Debt—$111,219.39. Composed of Notes issued in anticipation of Taxes, Bills ordered paid, Board of Education, and other obligations. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Loans in anticipation of Taxes and Appropriations unpaid. Falls due—1885.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$50,200.

Composed of Bonds of the City of New Brunswick	$48,200 00
Essex County Six per cent. Bonds	2,000 00

Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—For Redemption of Bonds of the City. .

Amount of Real Estate Taxable 1884—$4,118,300.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable 1884—$1,212,150.
Rate of Tax Levied 1884—$3.99.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$44,717 00
State Tax	13,479 00
School Tax	14,330 00
City Tax	140,191 00
Total	$212,717 00

SCHEDULE OF BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., APRIL 1ST, 1885.

CLASS OF BONDS.	Rate of Inter'st	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905		
Water Bonds of.....1864	6 p. c.	$5000	$5000	$5000	$5000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$20000	
1st Mtge. Water Bonds .1867	7 p. c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$38000	.....	.....	.....	.....	$42000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80000	
2d " " " .1869	7 p. c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$50000	.....	.....	.....	.....	$50000	.....	100000	
Water Bonds.....1873	7 p. c.	5000	5000	5000	5000	$5000	$5000	$5000	5000	$5000	$5000	$5000	$5000	5000	$5000	5000	$3500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	78500	
" " 1874	7 p. c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10000	10000	10000	10000	10000	10000	10000	10000	10000	10000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100000	
Bounty Bonds.....1865	7 p. c.	5400	5100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10500	
City Tax Bonds.....1876	7 p. c.	.....	75000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75000	
" " " 1878	7 p. c.	.....	.....	.....	50000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50000	
Improvement Bonds.....1873	7 p. c.	7500	7500	7500	3000	8000	8000	8000	8000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	62500	
Sinking Fund Bonds.....1881	5 p. c	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$22000	.....	.....	.....	.....	22000	
" " " 1882	5 p. c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$25000	.....	.....	.....	25000	
" " " 1882	6 p. c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11000	.....	.....	.....	11000	
" " " 1883	6 p. c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21000	.....	.....	.....	21000	
" " " 1885	6 p. c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$8000	.....	.....	8000	
City Debt Bonds.....1883	5 p. c.	.....	.....	.....	13300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13300	$676800
Commissioners' Streets and Sewer Bonds.....	6 p. c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	206000	49500	21500	10000	20000	39000	.....	$500	346500	
Commissioners' Streets and Sewer Bonds.....	7 p. c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	77200	52300	127500	172000	55100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	484100	830600
		$22900	$97600	$17500	$31300	$13000	$23000	$23000	$61000	$15000	$92200	$67300	$142500	$229000	$276100	$114500	$25000	$32000	$77000	$47000	$50000	$500		$1507400

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

1884.	
April 1, Cash in Bank to Credit of City Treasurer	$3,066 45
Cash in Bank to Credit of Commissioners of Streets and Sewers	16,334 59
Collected of Taxes of 1884	154,587 90
In addition to which was paid into the City Treasury Taxes and Interest of prior years	49,402 69
From Assessments Collected	862 02
From Licenses, Sundry Sources	7,939 06
From Sale of Sinking Fund Bonds	8,700 00
From Water Commissioners	20,790 00
Received by Commissioners of Streets and Sewers	22,972 18
Received by do. from Sale of Bonds	4,500 00
Total	$289,154 89

Disbursements for the fiscal year ending April 1st, 1885—

CITY EXPENDITURES FOR FISCAL YEAR 1884 ON ACCOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.

New Town Clock	$638 94	
Gas and Lamps	4,918 19	
Public Buildings, rents, etc	490 93	
Streets and Roads, and Removing Ashes, etc.	4,260 46	
Pumps and Hydrants	2 80	
Officers' Salaries	4,900 00	
Advertising, Printing, and Stationery	2,376 38	
Recording Births, Marriages, and Deaths	65 60	
Fire Department and Pay of Stewards	1,343 65	
Pay of Firemen and Bell Ringers	3,210 00	
Support of Poor	3,986 87	
Steward, Overseer and Physician	1,237 50	
Incidentals, including Election Boards	3,005 30	
Police	7,039 46	
Interest and Discount	4,735 13	
Expenditures unprovided for 1883	82 08	
Board of Health	250 00	
Reporting Proceedings of Common Council	150 00	
Firemen's Biennial Parade	500 00	
Centennial Celebration	500 00	
New Boilers for Steamers Nos. 1 and 5	1,251 00	
Collector of Taxes	3,555 17	
		$48,499 46
City Expenditures for Account of Appropriations of 1883		17,288 36
" " " years prior to 1883		2,241 93
Principal of Bonds paid off		21,200 00
Interest on City Bonds		44,081 00
Interest on Bonds of Commissioners of Streets and Sewers		53,945 00
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers		1,031 57
Expenses of Commissioners of Streets and Sewers		5,952 98
Balance of Bills Payable issued and paid off during the fiscal year		896 25
Paid to Commissioner of Sinking Fund		14,300 00
County Tax of 1884		44,717 00
State Tax of 1884		13,479 00
Paid Board of Education		6,330 00
Paid Water Commissioners for Hydrants and other City purposes		7,790 00
License Fees returned		83 24

Balance in Bank—	
To Credit of City Treasurer April 1st, 1885	$1,644 03
To Credit of Commissioners of Streets and Sewers, April 1st, 1885	5,675 07
Total	$289,154 89

WILLIAM S. STRONG, *Mayor*,
New Brunswick, N. J.

CITY OF PERTH AMBOY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$130,500. Composed of Improvement Bonds, at seven per cent., $23,200; Assessment Bonds, at six per cent., $13,800; Anticipation Bonds, at six per cent., $14,000; Tax Arrearage Bonds, at seven per cent, $20,000; Tax Arrearage Bonds, at five per cent., $55,000; Fire Department Bonds, at five per cent., $4,500. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—$59,500 at five per cent.; $27,800 at six per cent.; $43,200 at seven per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Street Improvements, Sewers, Public Grounds and Buildings and Fire Department. Falls Due—1884, $100; 1885, $19,800; 1886, $11,800; 1887, $4,800; 1888, $22,600; 1889, $2,100; 1890, $5,500; 1891, 8,800; 1893, $20,000; 1894, $35,000.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$66,146.23. Composed of Tax Arrears, $50,000; Sewer Assessments, $11,343.57; Cash in hand, $4,802.66. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—To meet the Bonded Debt.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—Assessor's Valuatien, 1884. $1,668,800.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—Assessor's Valuation, 1884, $52,200.

Rate of Tax Levied—$2.65 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
City	$23,749 80
County	14,456 40
State and City Schools	7,400 30
Exemptions	147 00
	$45,753 50

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 2d, 1885—		
Salary	$3,144 19	
Police	1,969 00	
Roads and Streets	3,260 65	
Street Crossings	247 25	
Bulkhead	269 96	
Contingent	2,542 64	
Poor	1,619 09	
Fire and Water	3,389 91	
Lamps	3,682 54	
Public Grounds and Buildings	844 05	
Health	115 00	
Board of Education	3,100 00	
Washington Street Sewer	285 28	
Printing	392 79	
Discount	840 00	
		$25,702 35
Sinking Fund	$56,662 48	
Cash Balance	5,334 07	
		61,996 55
		$87,698 90

JOHN G. GARRETSON, *Mayor*.

TOWNSHIP OF CRANBURY.

Amount of Real and Personal Property Taxable—After Deducting Debts, $868,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.10 per $100, Exclusive of Poll Tax.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School Tax	$2,241 00
County Tax	5,708 00
Roads	800 00
Poor, and other Township Purposes	1,200 00
	$9,949 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 12th, 1886—	
State School	$2,241 00
County	5,708 00
Working Roads	800 00
Poor, and other Township Purposes	1,200 00
	$9,949 00

PETER R. STULTS, *Chairman*,
Cranbury Township, Middlesex Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF EAST BRUNSWICK.

Amount of Floating Debt—$789.75. Composed of Outstanding Bills, which will and can be paid as soon as the taxes are collected, of which there are $2,630.64 to collect.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$771,655.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable, Including Mortgages—$148,345.
Rate of Tax Levied on each $100—$1.32.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School Tax	$2,321 10
County Tax	7,716 00
Poor Tax ($1,700) paid out of Surplus.	
Township Tax	900 00
Road Tax	1,500 00
Total Amount Raised by Taxation	$12,437 10

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 1st, 1885—	
State School and County Taxes	$10,037 10
Schools	3,888 86
Special School Tax, School District No. 28	182 85
Poor	1,744 90
Road Bills of 1883	6 27
Road Bills of 1884	944 06
Road Money, Town of Washington, balance for 1883	51 33
Election Expenses	126 00

Tax Warrants, $6; Recording Tax Returns, $4.50; Recording Tax Certificates, $1	$11 50
Returns of Marriages, Births and Deaths	18 50
Damages done by Dogs	208 62
Costs and Fees of Counsel in Luckey, Barkelew and Nelson Cases	192 58
Printing, $28.75; Postage and Stationery, $13	41 75
Assessor's and Collector's Fees and Costs of Collecting Taxes	367 33
Salary of Clerk	50 00
Salary of Overseer of Poor	100 00
Salary of Counsel	30 00
Salary of Treasurer of Township Committee	50 00
Salary of Commissioners of Appeals and Township Committee	75 00
Expenses of Commissioners of Appeals and Township Committee	22 00
Total	$18,148 65

CHARLES P. BLEW, *Chairman*,
East Brunswick, Middlesex County, South River.

TOWNSHIP OF NORTH BRUNSWICK.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$503,084.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$111.797.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.34 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School Tax		$1,491 00
County Tax		4,964 00
Township Tax		300 00
Poor Tax		400 00
Road Tax		1,000 00
Special School Tax, District 28, at 28 per cent	$317 15	
Received from the Collector of East Brunswick	182 85	
		500 00
Special School Tax, District 40, at seven per cent		17 31
Dog Tax, 158 dogs at 50 cents each		79 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 10th, 1885—

State School Tax	$1,491 00
County Tax	4,964 00
Township Expenses	587 95
Repair of Roads	824 00
Support of Poor	616 04
Special School, District 28	500 00
Special School, District 40	17 31
Dog Damage and Expense	106 35
Deducted by Commissioners of Appeal and Town Committee on Taxes of 1881–82–84	44 73

PHILIP KUHLTHAN,
Milltown.

TOWNSHIP OF PISCATAWAY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$5,000. Composed of Mortgage on Township Farm. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—To meet Deficiencies through non-collection of Taxes. Falls Due on Demand.

Amount of Floating Debt—$1,000. Composed of Township Note. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Five per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—To meet Deficiencies. Falls Due on Demand.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,467,208.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$285,392.

Rate of Tax Levied—$13.70 per $1,000, not Including Special School or School Bonds.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County Tax	$14,652 77
Township	1,397 64
State School	4,363 74
Poor	1,047 66
Road	2,449 64
Special School	2,782 31
Bonds	1,120 17
Polls	739 00
Dogs	210 00
Added by Court of Appeal	129 32
Railroad Tax	78 55
	$28,970 80

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 12th, 1885—	
County	$19,130 00
School and Bond	7,408 16
Road	2,607 51
Township Purposes (Consisting of Poor, Interest, Elections, Salaries, Small Bridges, Dog Damage, &c.)	5,255 13

NATHAN VARS, *Chairman Township Committee,*
Dunellen, Middlesex County.

TOWNSHIP OF RARITAN.

Amount of Real and Personal Property Taxable—$1,603,700.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.57.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County Tax	$13,450 00
School	4,042 00
Township	1,500 00
Poor	2,500 00
Roads	3,500 00
Special Road	100 00
Special School	3,204 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 18th, 1885—

Paid County Collector	$13,450 00
" School Tax	4,042 00
" Support of Poor	2,648 96
" Township Expenses, including Fees of Assessor and Collector	2,344 90
" Working Roads	3,600 00

SAMUEL LAFORGE, *Chairman*,
Raritan Township.

TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH BRUNSWICK.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,246,149.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$122,625.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.26.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County	$11,475 00
School	3,462 00
School Special	114 53
Roads	2,000 00
Poor	800 00
Dog	172 00
Cash in Hand, Received from Delinquents and Surplus	2,643 62
	$20,667 15

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 15th, 1885—

County	$11,475 00
School	3,462 00
Roads, Implements, etc	2,121 00
Township Officers	783 05
Poor, Medical Service, etc	1,004 94
Elections	124 50
Printing and Stationery	45 12
Animals Killed by Dogs	93 50
Recording Marriages, Births and Deaths	8 10
Issuing Tax Warrants	15 06
In Course of Collection	1,534 88
	$20,667 15

GEO. W. MOUNT,
South Brunswick Township.

TOWNSHIP OF WOODBRIDGE.

Amount of Floating Debt—$2,000. Composed of Notes Discounted. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—To pay Expenses in Anticipation of Taxes. Falls Due January 1st, 1886.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,710,350.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$170,805.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.58 per $100; and also Special School Taxes, as follows:

District 19	$0.05	per $100
" 20	0.08	"
" 21	0.12	"
" 24	0.42	"

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School Tax	$4,753 00
County Tax	15,780 00
For Township Purposes	3,150 00
" Roads	3,000 00
" Poor	2,000 00
" Dog Tax	172 50
" Poll Tax	1,268 00
" District School Taxes	4,355 16
Surplus for Contingencies	1,113 87
	$35,592 53

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 14th, 1885—

For Township Purposes and Salaries	$3,741 67
" Poor Farm	1,617 48
" Outside Poor	738 60
" Roads	2,904 54
" Completing Lock-up Building	1,371 86
" Dog Damage	113 00
" Amount paid the County for back Taxes	4,504 00
	$14,991 15

JONAS H. CODDINGTON, *Chairman Township Committee,*
Woodbridge, Middlesex Co., N. J.

MONMOUTH COUNTY.

TOWN OF KEYPORT.

Amount of Funded debt—$6,000. Composed of Town Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven per centum. Purpose for which contracted—Erection of School Building. Falls Due—$1,000 on the First day of April of each year.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$618,324.00.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$342,058.00.
Rate of Tax Levied—$3.3378 on $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

For Payment of Bonds	$1,000 00
For Payment of Interest	490 00
For Fire Appropriation	175 00
.0015 per cent. on $960,382	1,440 57
Assessing and Collecting	100 00
	$3,205 57

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 1st, 1885—	
For Payment of Bonds	$1,000 00
For Payment of Interest	490 00
For Fire Appropriation	175 00
For Assessing and Collecting	100 00
For General Town Purposes	1,440 57
	$3,203 57

WILLIAM BEDLE, JR., *Chairman*,
Keyport.

ATLANTIC TOWNSHIP.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ATLANTIC, MONMOUTH COUNTY, N. J., FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 13th, 1885.

JOHN VANMATER, *Collector, in account with Atlantic Township, Dr.*—

RECEIPTS.

1885.		
Feb. 13.	Amount Collected on Tax Warrant, year 1881	$3 40
"	" " " " " 1882	94 24
"	" " " " " 1883	364 87
"	" of Duplicate for Year 1884	9,367 41
	Total	$9,829 92

DISBURSEMENTS.

1884.	CR.	
Feb. 12.	By Amount Due Collector at Settlement	$358 32
" 13.	Paid John W. Golden, bill for Repairing Finger Boards	16 45
" 29.	" I. F. Newman, Poorhouse, quarter ending February 29th, 1884	124 54
Mar.	" James Steen, Printing Tax Receipts and Notices (1883)	6 00
" 14.	" Town Meeting Expenses, to wit:	
	Monroe Matthews, Board of Officers and Room Rent	15 00
	D. C. Sickles, Judge, 2 days' services	4 00
	E. H. Statesir, Inspector, 2 days' services	4 00
	H. H. Matthews, Inspector, 2 days' services	4 00
	Charles Sherman, Town Clerk, 2 days' services	4 00
	Charles Sherman, Town Clerk, advertising election	1 50
	Charles Sherman, Town Clerk, stationery	25
Mar. 14.	" E. F. Applegate, Printing Annual Report	12 00
Apr. 29.	" Levi Scobey, Assessor, Return of Births, etc., to Secretary of State	3 60
May 31.	" I. F. Newman, Poorhouse, quarter ending May 31st, 1884	118 82

June 23.	Paid	J. C. Conover, Attorney, for one-half Commissioner's charges and expenses in Dividing Road between Atlantic and Marlboro Townships	$107 63
Aug. 30.	"	I. F. Newman, Poorhouse, quarter ending August 31st, 1884	142 74
Nov. 29.	"	I. F. Newman, Poorhouse, quarter ending November 30th, 1884	108 42
" 25.	"	Jacob S. Jones, Commissioner of Appeals, 1 day's services	3 00
	"	William I. Thompson, Commissioner of Appeals, 1 day's services	3 00
	"	Amounts taken off duplicate by Commissioners, to wit:	
		Tunis Denise	7 64
		James W. White	1 10
		Maps & Slocum	19 10
		Lydia Lefferson	2 40
Dec. 16.	"	Monroe Matthews, hotel bill for Committee and Commissioners	13 10
" 31.	"	County Collector, on account of county school taxes	3,800 00
1885.			
Jan. 14.	"	County Collector, balance in full, county school taxes	2,308 00
		Amount of damages assessed on new public road, to wit:	
" 13.	"	To Isiah Crammer	25 00
" 19.	"	" Daniel D. Hunt	100 00
" 21.	"	" George E. Baker	25 00
" 23.	"	" Daniel W. Rockhill	10 00
Feb. 2.	"	" David Fitzgerald	30 00
" 3.	"	" Tunis Denise	12 50
" 9.	"	" T. Forman Taylor	1 06
" 7.	"	" William Murphy	50 00
" 9.	"	" Vedder Marcellus	1 00
" 10.	"	" Daniel Lahey	5 00
" "	"	" William C. Dismond	12 50
" 13.	"	" Alfred Pope	50 00
" "	"	" John Stillwaggon	4 00
" "	"	" Daniel D. Hunt	12 50
" "	"	Levi Scobey, Assessor, fees and services	130 64
" "	"	Joseph A. Golden, Overseer of Poor, services,	25 00
" "	"	Joseph A. Golden, Overseer of Poor, boarding and lodging tramps	5 25
" "	"	S. Matthews, allowance to Ellen Ellis	16 50
" "	"	Wm R. Stevens, allowance to Isaac Pearce's family	14 00
" "	"	Wm. R. Stevens, allowance to Samuel Johnson	8 75
" "	"	James Woolley, allowance to Wm. Giberson's family	20 00
" "	"	John W. Hance, allowance to Henry Hammond's family, 1 year	65 00
" "	"	Dr. H. G. Cooke, certificate in case of Frank Maines and medicines for Hammond's family	11 00
" "	"	Charles Sherman, allowance to Charles Clark,	2 00
" "	"	Charles Sherman, Town Clerk, bill of services,	31 60

Amounts expended for Roads, to wit:

District No. 1.—H. H. Matthews, Overseer.

Amount worked out		$33 50
" " by hire	$39 60	
Cash paid for 994 feet plank	34 42	
" " " 3 loads brush	1 50	
" " " 8 logs	11 50	
" " " 25 lbs. spikes	1 00	
" " " 75 loads gravel	7 50	
" " " Smith's work on road machine	1 00	
" " " 20 days' services	20 00	
		116 60

District No. 2.—John C. VanMater, Overseer.

Amount worked out		88 88
" " by hire	$68 75	
Cash paid for plank, spikes and logs	42 03	
" " " 231 loads gravel	18 48	
" " " new scoop	4 90	
" " " whiffletree and use of plow	3 00	
" " " 27½ days' services	27 50	
		164 66

District No. 3.—Jacob S. Jones, Overseer.

Amount worked out		63 85
" " by hire	$59 37	
Cash paid for 762 feet plank	27 06	
" " " 326 loads gravel	16 30	
" " " 9 days' services	9 00	
		111 73

District No. 4.—Daniel R. Conover, Overseer.

Amount worked out		35 69
" " by hire	$33 11	
Cash paid for 175 loads gravel	14 00	
" " " repairs on scraper	25	
" " " 5 days' services	5 00	
		52 36

District No. 5.—Garrett V. Conover, Overseer.

Amount worked out		96 71
" " by hire	$29 66	
Cash paid for 150 loads gravel	12 00	
" " " 3 days' services	3 00	
		44 66

District No. 6.—Henry W. Buck, Overseer.

Amount worked out		23 85
" " by hire	$27 38	
Cash paid for 123 loads gravel	12 30	
" " " 360 feet plank, 3½	12 60	
" " " 10 locust piling	2 50	
" " " 10 days' services	10 00	
		64 78

District No. 7.—Augustus Sickles, Overseer.

Amount worked out		40 43
" " by hire	$23 46	
Cash paid for repairs to scraper	1 50	
" " " 3 days' services	3 00	
		27 96

District No. 8.—Daniel D. Hunt, Overseer.

Amount worked out		$40 95
" " by hire	$25 71	
Cash paid for clay and gravel	12 00	
" " " steels and share for road machine	8 35	
" " " plank and spikes	4 64	
" " " 7½ days' services	7 50	
		58 20
Paid Daniel R. Conover, amount appropriated for opening new road by Prethero's		50 00
" John Statesir, Jr., Justice fees in Poor matters, tax warrants, &c		17 59
" John Statesir, Jr., Justice, and Joseph A. Golden, Overseer of Poor, examinations, &c		8 50
" L. F. Schanck, committee services, visitor to Poor-house, expenses and witness fees paid in road matter		24 60
" S. T. Vanderveer, committee services		13 00
" John T. Haight, committee services and witness fees paid in road matter		15 00
" John VanMater, collector, fees and commissions		125 28
" Monroe Matthews, board of committee and horse feed		6 00
" J. C. Conover, attorney, services bastardy case of Township *vs.* George Morris		45 00
" Special district school tax in Hillside District, No. 4		200 00
Total		$9,477 66
Amount uncollected on tax-warrant, 1884		662 22
		$10,139 88
Disbursements		$10,139 88
Receipts		9,829 92
Disbursements in excess of receipts, and the amount due the collector at this date		$309 96

STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL MONEY IN ATLANTIC TOWNSHIP, FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 14TH, 1884.

JOHN VANMATER, *Collector, in account with the Public School Money, Dr.*—

1883.	
July 14. Balance in hand	$1,464 32
Sept. 10. Received apportionment of Surplus Fund Interest,	103 84
Nov. 17. Received apportionment of State appropriation	160 52
1884.	
Jan. 23. Received apportionment of State School Tax	2,433 04
	$4,161 72
CR. By disbursements on orders of Trustees	2,949 52
Balance in hand July 14th, 1884	$1,212 20

The Balance is credited to the Districts as follows—

Colts Neck District, No. 1	$407 96
Edinburgh District, No. 2	108 10
Scobeyville District, No. 3	7 98
Hillside District, No. 4	.....
Montrose District, No. 5	511 37
Atlantic District, No. 5½	176 79
	$1,212 20

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$897,200 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	412,000 00
	$1,309,200 00
Debts	409,200 00
Taxable Balance	$900,000 00

Rate of Tax Levied—About one per cent.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County Tax	$4,175 00
School Tax	2,187 31
Roads	900 00
Poor	800 00
Ways and Means	950 00
Assessing and Collecting	250 00
Total	$9,262 31

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 13th, 1885—	
Poor	$645 52
Town Meeting	32 75
Repairing Finger Boards on Public Roads	16 45
Printing	18 00
Return of Births, &c., to Secretary of State	3 60
Commissioners of Appeal, Fees	6 00
Amount taken off Duplicate by Commissioners of Appeal	29 24
Hotel Bill for Board of Officers	19 10
County and School Taxes	6,108 00
Damages Assessed on Public Roads	338 56
Assessor, Fees, Services, &c	130 64
Collector, Fees and Commissions	125 28
Overseer Poor, Services	25 00
Town Clerk, Services, Stationery and Postage	31 60
Roads (including labor, material and implements)	1,164 81
Justice of the Peace, Services and Fees	17 59
Committee, Fees	52 60
Attorney of Township, Services in Bastardy Case	45 00
Attorney of Township, one half taxed costs of Commissioners dividing road between Atlantic and Marlboro Townships	107 63
Special School Tax in Hillside District, No. 4	200 00

SAMUEL T. VANDERVEER, *Chairman of Committee*,
Colts Neck P. O., Monmouth County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF FREEHOLD.

Amount of Funded Debt—$1,200. Composed of School Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent. Falls Due—April 1st, 1885.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$2,325,000
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	1,100,000
	$3,425,000
Debts	1,000,000
	$2,425,000

Rate of Tax Levied—$10 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—$25,501.79.

For Poor	$1,900 00
For Roads	2,000 00
For Ways and Means	500 00
For County	16,965 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Ways and Means	$502 36
For Poor	1,801 08
For Roads	2,029 86
School Bond and Interest	1,368 00

S. E. THOMPSON, *Chairman,*
Freehold.

TOWNSHIP OF HOWELL.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$994,000.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$322,000. Debts, $329,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—$9.70 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Poor	$1,200 00
Roads	1,500 00
Special Road	250 00
Dog Tax	75 00
District Clerk's Fees	120 00
Assessor's and Collector's Fees	400 00
Disbursement of School Fund	90 00
Remits and Election Expenses	300 00
Total, Township	$3,935 00
County and School	6,707 00
Total	$10,642 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 1st, 1885—

Poor	$1,227 14
District Clerks	120 00
Election Expense	100 50
Roads, old Account	1,260 00
Miscellaneous	69 50
Balance	72 10
Roads	1,484 49
Fees	542 17
Special Road Tax	250 00
Sheep Account	46 50
Total	$3,935 00
Expended for County and School	6,707 00

WM. A. PRICKETT, *Chairman Township Committee,*
Lower Squankum P. O., Monmouth County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF MANALAPAN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$1,147,427 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	294,963 00
	$1,442,390 00
Debts	390,842 00
	$1,051,548 00
Mortgages	154,452 00
	$1,206,000 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.877 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State Schools	$3,031 16
County	5,152 56
Township	2,448 98
Poll	460 00
Assessment on Dogs	211 50
Special School	571 77

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September 1st, 1885—

County Collector County Tax	$5,156 00
County Collector School Tax	3,028 00
Roads	1,091 14
Poor	1,015 18
Ways and Means	400 00
Damage Done to Sheep	211 50
Special Assessment School No. 34	395 29
" " " No. 27	28 00
" " " No. 32	48 48
" " " No. 37	100 00
Assessor and Collector fees	378 17

W. C. BOWN, *Chairman*,
Freehold.

TOWNSHIP OF MARLBORO.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,151,000.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$379,900.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.0095.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Roads	$1,200 00
Poor	1,000 00
Ways and Means	100 00
County	5,338 00
School	2,796 24

A. W. VANDERVEER,
Post Office, Morganville.

TOWNSHIP OF MATAWAN.

Amount of Floating Debt—$1,100. Composed of—One Bond, $500, and One Note, $600. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Bond $500 for Bounties for Volunteers; Note $600 for Current Expenses of Township. Falls Due—First of April (each year.)

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$564,000 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	248,000 00
	$812,000 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.04 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Roads	$700 00
Poor	1,000 00
Ways and Means	500 00

All of which is expended as the township directs.

GARRET HENDRICKSON, *Chairman of Committee.*

TOWNSHIP OF MILLSTONE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1 001,025.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$525,977.
Rate of Tax Levied—$9.56 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—		
For County		$4,442 00
State School Tax		2,608 62
Township Purposes—		
Roads	$1,500 00	
Poor	1,300 00	
Ways and Means	400 00	
Dog Tax (Sheep Damage)	188 00	
		3,388 00
Total		$10,438 62

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year—		
County and State School Taxes	$7,050 62	
Roads—$1,500; Poor—$656.95	2,156 95	
Ways and Means	546 61	
Sheep Damage	20 00	
Election Expenses	28 50	
Printing	20 00	
Remittance, uncollectable Taxes	19 30	
		$9,481 98
Sheep, Poor and other Funds on Hand		$596 64

Figured on the last year's receipts and expenditures to Town Meeting of 1885. The duplicate of 1885 not yet completed.

GEO. M. DAVISON, *Chairman,*
Perrineville.

TOWNSHIP OF NEPTUNE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,725,587.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$458,360.
Rate of Tax Levied—$7.50 on $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Poor	$1,250 00
Roads	2,000 00
Ways and Means	1,000 00
Township Police	600 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 12th, 1885—

County and State School	$14,821 40
Roads	886 57
Poor	1,310 61
Ways and Means	882 95
Police	586 56

LEWIS RAINEAR,
Asbury Park.

TOWNSHIP OF RARITAN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,118,000.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$424,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—$9.3371.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State Tax	$3,042 59
County Tax	4,871 69
Roads	999 28
Ways and Means	499 99
Poor	1,998 56
District Schools	547 11
Special Road Taxes	232 47
	$12,191 69

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 12th, 1885—

Amount Paid County	$7,914 28
" " Assessors' Fees	251 63
" " Collectors' Fees	251 63
" " Roads	1,000 00
" " Roads, Special Tax	232 47
" " District School Tax	543 99
" " Support of Poor	1,291 70
" " General Expenses Appropriated in Ways and Means	427 47
	$11,913 17

The Assessor's and Collector's Fees are not included in the amount assessed.

THOS. S. R. BROWN, *Chairman of Committee*,
Keyport, Raritan Township, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF UPPER FREEHOLD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,840,200.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$957,562.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.95.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
For County	$9,494 00
" Schools	5,574 00
" Poor	1,500 00
" Roads	3,000 00
" Ways and Means	1,200 00
" Special School Tax	803 49
" Dogs	276 90
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
For Roads	$2,958 29
" Poor	1,327 45
" Sheep	198 00
" Schools	5,041 30
" Miscellaneous Bills	1,266 37
" County Collector	15,061 00

JOSEPH HOLMES, JR.,
Cream Ridge.

MORRIS COUNTY.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$17,606,178.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$4,531,885.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$75,000 00
Freeholders' Services	2,500 00
Bridges	17,000 00
Interest and Discount	1,500 00
Court Expenses	13,000 00
Advertising and Printing	1,200 00
Coroners and Post Mortems	700 00
Court House and Jail	4,000 00
Elections	800 00
Superintendent of Public Schools	1,700 00
Children's Home	3,500 00
Poorhouse	6,500 00
Lunacy	1,300 00
Surplus Revenue	3,600 00
Incidentals	6,000 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 13th, 1885—	
On Account of Fiscal Year of 1884 and 1885 over and above Receipts from that Year	$3,570 95

For Year 1884 and 1885—	
Court Expenses	$11,857 04
Court House and Jail	3,797 96
Poorhouse and Children's Home	9,920 02
Lunacy	13,468 14
Freeholders	1,943 15
Coroners and Post Mortems	422 54
Elections	840 97
Advertising and Printing	1,329 63
Superintendent of Public Schools	1,558 55
Incidentals	4,614 01
Surplus Revenue	3,597 04
Interest and Discount	1,055 48
Bridges	14,847 12
Error in Accounts	175 75
	$72,898 95
Receipts from other Sources than Taxes	$3,500 02
Taxes and other Money Due May 13th, 1885	1,635 00
Taxes Collected on Levy for 1884 and 1885	73,400 00
	$78,535 02
Expenditures as Above	72,898 95
Balance to Credit	$5,636 07

WILLIAM E. KING, *Director*,
Drakeville, Morris County, Roxbury Township, N. J.

TOWN OF BOONTON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$669,200.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$93,050.
Of this amount deduct $16,000 War Exemptions, and $9,000 Bond and Mortgage; total, $25,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.15 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Corporation Tax	$1,107 31
Township Road Tax, $2,000, of which amount the Town Receives	1,625 95
Actual Receipts—	
On Hand last Report	$1,433 03
Corporation, including Back Taxes	1,233 87
Road Tax, including Back Taxes	1,666 40
Received from other sources	105 70
	$4,439 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 1st, 1885—

Repairing and Maintaining Streets	$2,032 57
Police	568 70
Lamps	123 73
Officers	166 01
Printing	169 50
Rents and Janitoring	77 50
Coal and Wood	16 60
Miscellaneous	378 87

JAMES HOLMES, *Mayor*,
Boonton.

TOWN OF DOVER.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$516,650.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$163,750.
Rate of Tax Levied—$7.60 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Corporation	$5,176 00
Poll	626 00
Dog	181 75

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending April 20th, 1885—

Streets and Highways	$8,281 08
Fire Department	995 95
Police	578 50
Salaries	502 35
Miscellaneous	367 43

GEORGE RICHARDS, *Mayor*,
Dover.

TOWN OF MORRISTOWN.

Amount of Funded Debt—$8,000. Composed of Fire Bonds issued by the Corporation of Morristown. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven per cent. Purpose for which contracted—For the Establishment of the Fire Department. Falls Due—$1,000 June, 1885, and $1,000 each succeeding year thereafter until paid.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$3,941,555.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$1,366,651.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.30 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Per Ordinance, 1884		$16,169 00
For General Expenses	$12,500 00	
Principal on Fire Bond	1,000 00	
Interest on Outstanding Bonds	560 00	
For Deficiencies and Expenses for Assessing and Collecting, etc.	2,109 00	
	$16,169 00	

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending April 25th, 1885—

Discounts	$84 85
Fire Bonds and Interest	1,595 00
Miscellaneous Bills	1,590 33
Fire Department	3,347 69
Police	1,847 42
Street Lamps	2,547 35
Printing	487 20
Board of Health	631 00
Streets	7,590 48
	$19,831 32

In addition to the Tax raised by Ordinance, as aforesaid, the Corporation of Morristown received Sixty-six per cent. of the Road Tax raised in Morris Township, amounting to $4,620; and also Five-sixths of the Poor Tax raised in Morris Township, amounting to $250.

To balance the Funded Debt, the Corporation of Morristown owns unincumbered Real Estate and Fire Apparatus, etc., worth at least $35,000. To this may also be added a farm property of about ten acres, for which the Corporation paid $2,000; upon this, however, is a mortgage of $800.

JOHN E. TAYLOR, *Mayor*,
Morristown.

TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$789,675.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$110,000.
Debts—$28,500.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.90 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax (Rate, 40 cents per $100)	$3,207 06
State School (Rate, 28 cents per $100)	2,243 02
Road (Rate, 22 cents per $100)	1,975 16
School District No. 94 (7 cents on $100)	26 35
" " " 95 (20 " ")	1,493 50

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

For Township Expenses, including Town Committee and Overseer of Poor	$150 00

W. W. RIDDLE, *Chairman*,
Boonton.

TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$2,105,575.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$412,077.
Rate of Tax Levied—Cash, $0.77½; Road, $0.19; total, $0.96½.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$9,142 21
State School Tax	6,393 14
Road Tax	6,500 00
Dog Tax	189 20
Ten per cent. on all but dog tax, and including two hundred dollars for Board of Health	1,489 75
Poor Tax	500 00
Special School Tax	4,556 59
Poll Tax	1,062 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 11th, 1885—

Amount Paid County Collector	$15,540 97
" " for School Purposes	6,570 02
" " for Township Purposes	9,659 40

WILLIAM J. BRITTIN,
Madison.

TOWNSHIP OF CHESTER.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$926,000.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$407,500.
Rate of Tax Levied—$9.20.

Amount of Tax Raised—

School Tax	$2,865 73
County Tax	4,064 06
Township Tax	1,000 00
Road Tax	2,500 00
Snow "	100 00
Poor "	100 00
Poll "	623 00
Dog "	148 00
Special School Tax	1,378 73

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February, 1885—

Paid County Collector	$6,929 79
" Township Notes	433 80
" Road Bills	2,499 96
" Special School Funds	1,000 00
" Sundry Township Bills	1,327 69

CHARLES S. EMMONS, *Chairman*,
Chester.

TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,569,835.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$356,460.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.63.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Road Tax	$3,844 58
Dog Tax	187 50
Poll Tax	859 00
School Tax	4,978 17

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending October 1st, 1885—

Paid County Collector	$7,055 90
Township Expenses	1,308 96
School Expenses	4,120 39

W. C. BATES, *Chairman.*

TONWSHIP OF JEFFERSON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—24,868 Acres.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$188,425.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.67 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School Tax	$1,507 21
State and County Tax	2,136 32
Road Tax	1,400 00
Township Tax	600 00
Poll Tax	352 00
Dog Tax	84 00
Special School Tax	220 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September 30th, 1885—

State School	$1,507 21
State and County	2,136 32
Road	1,400 00
Township	611 16
Special School	220 00

JAMES T. ECKHART,
Milton.

TOWNSHIP OF MENDHAM.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$724,350
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	245,670
	$970,020
Amount of Debts deducted	218,180
	$751,840

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.0085.

Amount of Tax Raised	$6,390 64
Amount on hand from 1884	600 00
	$6,990 64

School Tax	$1,947 05	
County Tax	2,759 68	
Road Tax	1,600 00	
For Miscellaneous Township Purposes	683 91	
		$6,990 64

The last item includes Poor Money, Election Expenses, Payment of Township Officers, etc., etc.

MARIUS ROBINSON, *Chairman*,
Mendham.

TOWNSHIP OF MONTVILLE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$444,939.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$108,725.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.00.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County	$1,880 36
Road	2,000 00
School (State)	1,315 02
School (Special	640 00
Township	200 00
Dog Tax	58 20

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

For Township Purposes, including Support of Poor	$478 71

LEWIS VAN DUEPUE, *Chairman*,
Boonton.

TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$4,562,200.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$1,131,400.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.94 outside, $1.10 inside Morris School District.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School Tax	$14,063 09
County Tax	19,933 77
General Road Tax	7,000 00
Special	1,000 00
Poor	300 00
Polls	1,562 00
Dog Tax, per capita 40 cents	
Special School Tax, Morris School District	7,500 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year Ending February 10th, 1885—

Roads	$2,817 75
Roads, No. 25, Special	972 63
Miscellaneous	2,037 61
Elections	192 00
Overseer of the Poor	69 60
Commissioner of Appeals	18 00

Sixty-six per cent. of the $7,000 raised for Roads, and five-sixths of the $300 raised for the Poor is paid to the Common Council of the Town of Morristown.

L. W. WALTON

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE.

Amount Value of Real Estate	$697,490 00
Amount Value of Personal	184,470 00
	$881,960 00
Amount of Debts Deducted	118,960 00
Total Amount Taxable	$763,000 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.86 per $100, $8.60 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Poll Tax	$438 00
County and Township	3,139 99
State School	2,015 13
Roads	1,539 18
Special School Districts	382 66
	$7,514 96

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending October 1st, 1885—

Township Committee Expenses	$100 00
" Assessor Expenses	100 00
" Collector	100 00
" Current Expenses, Justices, etc	200 00
" Sheep Damages by Dogs	250 00
" Road Expenses	1,500 00
" Elections	50 00
" Snow Clearing on Roads	100 00
" Portion to County Collector, County and Special School	5,482 40
Total for the year ending October 1st, 1885	$7,882 00

B. A. HOWELL, *Chairman*,
Flanders.

TOWNSHIP OF PEQUANNOC.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$627,820 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	92,684 00
	$720,504 00
Debts and Soldiers' Exemptions	29,939 00
	$690,565 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.79¾ on $100.

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 11th, 1885—

Bounty Tax Paid up	$3,476 46
County Tax Paid up	2,800 49
State School Tax	1,783 13
Road Tax	1,516 59
Township Expenses	300 00

SAMUEL DEMOTT, *Chairman Township Committee*,
Pompton Plains, Morris County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF RANDOLPH.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$1,296,800 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	363,675 00
	$1,660,475 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$11.38 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School	$4,427 49
County, less Poll, $1,174	5,101 98
Township	2,200 00
Road	5,300 00
Poor	330 00
Snow	200 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 12th, 1885—	
State School	$4,025 38
County Tax	5,705 44
Township	2,647 84
Road	3,351 33
Poor	369 46
Snow	28 75
Dog	95 25

There was also a Special School Tax levied, as follows:

School District No. 1	$3,239 35
School District No. 2	100 00
School District No. 6	400 00
School District No. 9	1,350 00

JAMES B. TONKING, *Chairman*,
Port Oram.

TOWNSHIP OF ROCKAWAY.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$988,230.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$143,950.
Rate of Tax Levied—One per cent.; $0.007 State, County and Town; $0.003 Road; besides Special School Tax.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Balance from last and previous years	$867 84
State and County Tax	7,631 96
Poll Tax	610 50
Road Taxes	3,288 93
Dog Tax	218 00
Special School Tax	5,359 06
	$17,976 29

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 6th, 1885—

I. S. Stiger, County Collector	$7,064 91
Road Purposes	3,379 60
Support of Schools	5,331 54
Damages to Sheep	238 75
Assessor and Collector	865 41
Support of the Poor	239 98
Bounties on Wild Animals	224 25
Printing and Stationery	39 37
Town Officers	127 83
Commissioners of Appeal	6 00
Election Expenses	196 00
Balance in Hands of Treasurer	262 65
	$17,976 29

EDMUND D. HALSEY,
Rockaway.

TOWNSHIP OF ROXBURY.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$608,350.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$154,010.
Debts—$36,210.
Rate of Tax Levied—$9.20 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$2,665 00
School Tax	1,880 00
Township Tax	1,202 69
Road Tax	2,000 00
Balance in Hands Collector February, 1884	744 76
	$8,492 45

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 17th, 1885—

County Tax	$2,665 00
School Tax	1,880 00
Township Expenses and Remittances	1,353 80
Road Work	1,919 45
Balance in Hands Collector February 17th, 1885	674 20
	$8,492 85

THEO. F. KING,
Drakesville, Morris Co., New Jersey.

OCEAN COUNTY.

Amount of Floating Debt—$4,704,35. Composed of Notes. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Expenses of Court. Falls Due—In one year.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$3,948,707.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$952,508.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.00763489.

Amount of Tax Raised—

For Schools	$11,136 20
" Courts	5,000 00
" Board of Prisoners	600 00
" Expenses of Lunatics	3,000 00
" Lights and Fuel	300 00
" Blanks and Stationery	500 00
" Elections	500 00
" Interest on Surplus Revenue	1,400 00
" Salaries	2,000 00
" Bridges	4,500 00
" Indebtedness	4,704 35
" Incidentals	1,359 45
	$35,000 00

For expenditures, I beg leave to refer to County Collector's Report.

EPHRAIM P. EMSON, *Director*,
Collins' Mills, Ocean County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF BERKELEY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$2,500. Composed of Dover Township Note in Bank. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Division of Township. Falls Due—Is Due.

Amount of Sinking Fund—From $50 to $100. Composed of Delinquent Tax Payers.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$252,250 00
Personal	15,100 00
Total	$267,350 00
Debts	4,875 00
Net	$262,475 00

Amount of Tax Raised—

Annual Expenses—

Roads	$200 00
Poor	300 00
Ways and Means	300 00
Assessing and Collecting	150 00

C. LAWRENCE,
Berkeley Township.

TOWNSHIP OF BRICK.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,227,375.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$233,500.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.79 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State and County	$7,793 83
Poor Tax	800 00
Road Tax	2,000 00
Incidentals	600 00
Township School Tax	500 00
Special School Tax	600 00
	$12,293 83

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 20th, 1885—

On Poor Account	$811 92
On Incidental Account	1,602 31
On Road Account	2,036 03
Paid on State and County Tax	6,500 00
Paid on School Account	1,100 00
	$12,050 26

SIDNEY HERBERT, *Chairman Township Committee,*
Herbertsville P. O.

TOWNSHIP OF EAGLESWOOD.

Amount of Funded Debt—$900. Composed of District Notes. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Building School-house. Falls Due—August, 1885, $500; August, 1886, $400.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$126,480.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$44,000.

Rate of Tax Levied—State and County, $0.48 per $100; Special School Tax, $0.33 per $100; Township, $0.60 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—$2,518.12.

Special School Tax	$536 62
State and County	971 99
Township	1,007 33

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 16th, 1885—

State and County	$971 99
On Special School house	461 25
Township Expenses, Including Poor Bills, Officers' Fees, Room Rent, etc., about	817 50
Total	$2,250 74

W. T. WILLITS,
West Creek, Ocean Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF JACKSON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$287,403.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$65,030.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.15 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State and County Tax	$2,302 74
Roads	788 36
Poor	227 36
Miscellaneous	1,229 27
Total	$4,547 73

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 20th, 1885—

State and County Tax	$2,302 74
Roads	788 36
Poor	227 36
Miscallaneous Bills and Notes	1,229 27
Total	$4,547 73

JOSEPH R. BRUEN, *Chairman Township Committee,*
Cassville P. O., Jackson Township, Ocean County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF LACEY.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$190,000.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$66,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.0098.
Amount of Tax Raised—

State and County	$1,457 88
Poor	300 00
Roads	300 00
Ways and Means	300 00
School	150 00

The above amounts have been expended for the purposes raised, the balance being in the Collector's hands in the shape of uncollected taxes.

HOWARD JEFFREY,
Cedar Creek.

TOWNSHIP OF MANCHESTER.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$150,140 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	28,563 00
	$178,703 00
Debts Deducted	30,513 00
	$148,190 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.5057209 on every $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State and County Tax	$806 00
Poll Tax	244 00
Township Tax: Poor, $400; Roads, $400; Ways and Means, $200	1,000 00
Assessor and Collector Fees, $225; Add Deficiencies, $200,	425 00
Special School Tax	775 00
Collector, Debit, 1884	1,741 18
State Appropriation for Schools	1,996 64
	$6,787 82

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February, 1885—	
Township School Tax	$2,495 67
State and County Tax	750 00
Poor Account	426 54
Road Account	312 28
Township Expenses, Incidental	801 63
Collector, Credit	2,001 70
	$6,787 82

JOHN HILLIARD, *Chairman Township Committee.*

TOWNSHIP OF OCEAN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$77,360.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$29,758.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.012¾.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State and County	$805 86
Road Money	300 00
Incidental Expenses	225 00

JOSEPH COMBS,
Waretown.

PASSAIC COUNTY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$44,500. Composed of Bridge Bonds of 1870, $20,000; Funding Bonds of 1873, $24,500. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Erection of Permanent Bridges. Falls Due—$1,500 due April 1st, 1885, but not presented for payment; $17,500 in March and April, 1886; $17,500 in March and April, 1887; $8,000 on April 1st, 1888.

Cash on Hand—$44,362.53, or only $137.47 less than enough to pay off the entire debt of the county.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$25,591,931.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$4,719,905.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.00145.
Amount of Tax Raised—$135,000.

The items are given in the statement of appropriations below; the difference between the tax levy and the appropriations is drawn from the surplus from the preceding year.

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 31st, 1885—

CURRENT EXPENSES.

		Appropriated for 1885-6.
For Courts	$31,493 71	$35,000 00
For County Jail	12,228 80	13,000 00
For Support of Lunatics:		
In State Asylum	7,786 79	8,500 00
In County Asylum	1,488 07	3,000 00
Chosen Freeholders, Committees and Officers:		
Chosen Freeholders	2,575 00	2,600 00
Officers	4,900 00	5,000 00
Bridge Tenders	1,158 57	1,300 00
For Coroners' and Undertakers' Fees	3,093 38	2,500 00
For Elections	1,376 00	2,000 00
For Stationery	467 40	600 00
For Advertising, Publishing and Printing,	2,604 91	2,500 00
Incidental Expenses:		
Transcribing Deeds and Maps	.....	4,500 00
Indexing Deeds	5,261 25	2,000 00
Sundries	1,184 36	2,000 00
Total Current Expenses	$75,618 31	$84,500 00
Debt and Interest:		
For Payment of Principal of Bonded Debt,	$17,500 00	$18,000 00
For Interest on Bonded Debt	4,165 00	3,500 00
For Bank Discounts	544 11	500 00
For Special Deficiency	.....	1,500 00
For Interest on Surplus Revenue	1,139 49	1,500 00
Total Debt and Interest	$23,348 60	$24,668 00
Public Works:		
For Expenditures in or upon Public Buildings and Grounds	$6,899 54	$3,000 00
For Bridges and Culverts	24,075 77	27,000 00
For County Roads	4,477 59	7,500 00
Total Public Works	$35,452 90	$37,500 00
Recapitulation:		
Current Expenses	$75,618 31	$84,500 00
Debt and Interest	23,348 60	24,668 00
Public Works	35,452 90	37,500 00
Aggregate	$134,419 81	$146,668 00

G. PLANTEN, *Director*,
Paterson P. O.

CITY OF PASSAIC.

Amount of Funded Debt—$166,500. Composed of Coupon Bonds of the City of Passaic, $92,500; School House Bonds, $17,000; Public School Bonds, $8,000; Street Improvement Bonds, $49,000. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five, six and seven per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Public and School Buildings, Fire Apparatus and Street Improvements. Falls Due—1885, $24,000; 1894, $20,000; 1896, $25,000; 1902, $23,500; 1885–1894, 17,000; 1886–1893, $8,000; 1887, 28,000; 1892, $21,000.

Amount of Floating Debt—$28,765.52. Composed of Improvement Certificates. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Street Improvements. Falls Due—1885–1886.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$6,059.50. Composed of Real Estate, valued at $1,600; Bond and Mortgage, $2,300; Cash in Bank, $2,159.50. Nature, purpose and condition of Sinking Fund—To retire Bonded Debt.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable (1885)—$2,848,295.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable (1885)—$426,875.

Rate of Tax Levied—$2.90.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State and County (1885)	$22,926 26
City (1885)	58,953 02
School (1885)	13,100 68
Total	$94,979 96

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 31st, 1885—	
City Hall Account	$392 26
Contingent	3,489 09
Fees of Assessors and Collector	1,486 86
Fire Department Account	840 21
Interest	5,805 00
Interest on Street Improvement Bonds	2,755 00
Interest on Improvement Certificates	1,475 02
Improvement Certificates	24,556 71
Maturing Bonds ($20,000 of 7 per cent. Bonds, maturing July 2d, 1884, were extended at 5 per cent)	4,000 00
Armory Rent	299 97
Legal Expense Account	53 40
Police Department	3,152 50
Printing, Postage and Stationery	896 95
Public Pound	39 34
Streets and Crosswalks Account	4,186 41
Street Hydrants	3,755 41
Street Lights	3,238 99
Salaries of City Officers	2,975 06
Support of the Public Schools	19,639 96
Support of the Poor	2,472 38
Unexpended Balance Account of 1884	9,174 41
Sinking Fund Commissioners, Insurance, Repairs, etc	96 25
Total	$94,781 18

JOHN A. WILLETT, *Mayor.*
Passaic.

CITY OF PATERSON.

Amount of Funded Debt—$1,168,500. Composed of bonds issued. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—$807,000 at seven per cent.; $213,000 at six per cent.; $90,500 at five per cent.; $58,000 at four and one-half per cent.

Purpose for which Contracted—	
Public Schools	$66,500 00
Funded Debt	90,500 00
City Improvement	7,000 00
Sewers	413,500 00
War Bounty	323,000 00
Funding	100,000 00
Renewal	168,000 00
	$1,168,500 00

Falls Due—1885 to 1906.

Amount of Floating Debt—$153,579.04; Composed of Bank Loans, Sewer Certificates and Street Improvement Scrip. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Current Expenses, Building Sewers and Street Grading. Falls Due—Bank Loan, June 8th, 1885; Street Improvement Scrip, September 20th, 1885; Sewer Certificates, within three Years of Date of Issue.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$18,521,342.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$3,876,075.

Rate of Tax Levied—$2.50 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Amount of Tax Levied for all Purposes	$596,551 69
Amount of Tax Raised on 1884 Levy	434,305 04

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
For the Department of Finance	$682,457 48
Public Instruction	120,737 10
Police	40,478 27
Streets and Sewers	128,953 22
Charities and Corrections	57,673 74
Fire and Water	42,192 38
Lamps, Wells and Pumps	27,819 14
Miscellaneous Accounts	16,778 61
Balance in the Treasury	4,254 89
	$1,121,344 83

Receipts—	
Balance March 20th, 1884	$14,253 08
From Taxes During the Year	547,739 83
" Interest	20,658 92
" Licenses	21,489 42
" State School Fund	62,575 20
" Street Assessments	2,145 33
" Loans on Notes	380,000 000
" Sale of Bonds	58,000 00
" Sundries	14,483 05
	$1,121,344 83

Assets—	
Sundry Sewers	$97,135 06
Unpaid Taxes	689,185 32
Unpaid Street Assessments	93,574 36
Suspense Account	107 00
Real Estate	982,185 00
Personal Property	174,535 00
Balance in the Treasury	4,254 89
	$2,040,976 63
Liabilities—	
Balance of Appropriations	$78,226 76
Bonded Debt	1,168,500 00
Bills Payable	56,443 98
Sewer Construction Certificates	97,135 06
Balance in favor of the City	640,670 83
	$2,040,976 63

DANIEL MILLER, *Comptroller*,
Paterson, Passaic County.

TOWNSHIP OF ACQUACKANONK.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,028,950.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$147,850.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.28.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School and County	$11,414 77
Poll	413 00
Dog	144 00
Poor	235 36
Road	2,588 96
School	2,031 06
Assessed by Collector	8 80
Interest on Tax of 1884	9 09
Recording Uncollected Tax, 1884	21
Received from County Clerk for Licenses	205 00
Amount of Cash on hand	47 40
	$17,097 65
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 27th, 1885—	
Election Bills	$38 00
Assessor's Books	9 50
Printing Bills	35 00
Assessor, for Recording Births, Marriages and Deaths	5 14
Roads	2,366 58
Assessor's Fees	140 05
Poor Bill	133 90
Road Tools	47 01
Counsel Fees	53 72
Township Collector	161 76
" Clerk	45 90
" Committee	108 00

Schools	$2,031 06
Making Tax Warrants	12 16
Court of Appeals	202 81
County Clerk, for Recording	3 70
" Collector	10,500 00
Uncollected Taxes	981 46
Cash in hands of Collector	4 41
Balance of Cash in hand	217 49
	$17,097 65

JOHN H. MERSELIS, *Chairman*,
Clifton, Passaic County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF LITTLE FALLS.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$378,800.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$80,300.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.02.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Poll Tax	$321 00
Dog Tax	92 50
State School and County	3,362 32
Poor	454 49
Roads	818 03
Special District School	176 98
	$5,225 32

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 1st, 1885—

State School and County	$3,319 32
Special District School	176 98
Poor	343 12
Roads	1,188 81
Township Incidentals	415 72
	$5,443 95

SQUIRE RADCLIFFE,
Little Falls.

TOWNSHIP OF POMPTON.

Amount of Funded Debt—$130,000. Composed of—Coupon Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Railroad. Falls Due—Yearly.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$633,255.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$92,295.
Rate of Tax Levied—$5.12.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School Tax	$2,082 88
County Tax	3,902 98
Coupon Bonds Tax	27,288 57
Road Tax	2,227 10
Poor Tax	1,723 49
Dog Tax	126 50
Special School Tax	459 78

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

For Election Purposes	$52 50
For Sheep Account	10 00
For Fox Bills	80 00
For County Bonds	2,524 14
For Town Coupon Bonds	35,946 53
For Legal Fees	1,152 49
For Road Work	1,739 00
For Township Officers	948 43
For Poor Account	1,643 16
For Miscellaneous	1,484 27

PETER J. BROWN, *Chairman*,
Midvale.

TOWNSHIP OF WEST MILFORD.

Amount of Funded Debt—$1,606.95. Composed of—Bond for $550, Notes for $1,056.95. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five and one-quarter per cent. Purpose for which contracted—The Bond is a remnant of the War Debt; and the Notes are for shortages at different times, caused at different times in too low estimates in the Township Expenses and Bad Debts on Collector's Duplicate. Falls Due—On Demand.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$464,975.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$59,125.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.19 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

School Tax	$1,337 13
County Tax	2,334 18
Poor Tax	1,000 00
For Services of Officers	300 00
For Current Expenses	66 00
For Interest on Debt	84 00
For Assessor's and Collector's Fees	189 36
Tax on Dogs	167 00
Total	$5,477 67
Road Tax	2,000 00
Total, including Road Tax	$7,477 67

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

For the Keep of Poor	$1,000 00
For Township Officers	400 00
For Bounties on Foxes (more or less)	25 00
For Sheep Killed by Dogs (more or less)	100 00
For Interest on Debt	84 00

Percentage on County	Tax	is 44	cents	on the	hundred	dollars.
" " School	"	is 25	"	"	"	"
" " Poor	"	is 20	"	"	"	"
" " Township	"	is 2	"	"	"	"
" " Road	"	is 28	"	"	"	"

Total Percentage, $1.19

Tax on 334 Dogs, at 50 cents per Dog	$167 00
Assessor's and Collector's Fees on Dog Tax	33 00
Net Dog Tax	$133 00

CHARLES B. RHINESMITH, *Chairman*,
Upper Macopin.

SALEM COUNTY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$58,007.74. Composed of Bonds, $30,000; Certificates, held by D. Harris Smith, Treasurer Surplus Revenue, $28,007.74. Rate of interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent. on $38,007.74; five per cent. on $20,000. Purpose for which contracted—Bounty and Bridge Repairing. Falls Due—$5,000 January, 1886; $5,000 January, 1887; $5,000 January, 1888; $5,000 January 1889; $5,000 January, 1890; $5,000 January 1891. Certificates not specified.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$11,106,008.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$6,757,671.

Deduct Debts—$3,892,524.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
School	$35,380 00
County	37,619 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 13th 1885—	
Salem, East Ward	$12 00
" West Ward	1,997 70
Mamingtown Township	2,702 89
Lower Alloways Creek	2,910 44
Alloway Township	882 69
Pilesgrove Township	1,358 24
Elsinboro Township	90 52
Quinton Township	621 28
Upper Pittsgrove Township	587 66
Pittsgrove Township	718 41
Upper Penn's Neck Township	373 62
Oldmans Township	421 84
Lower Penn's Neck Township	446 01
Incidentals	4,557 66
Court Expenses	3,941 71
Jail	2,618 77
Inquests	174 88
Lunatic Asylum	3,060 72
Public Schools	70,922 26
Almshouse	5,708 39

Printing	$588 36
County Bonds, Interest and Coupons	7,541 45
Elections	1,261 00
Ella Watson Murder Case	1,153 28
Iron Bridge at Salem	24,457 12
	$139,108 90

JOSEPH MILLER,
Salem, Salem County, N. J.

CITY OF SALEM.

Amount of Funded Debt—$75,000. Composed of Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Erection of Water Works. Falls Due—$20,000 in ten years from July 1st, 1881; $20,000 in fifteen years; $20,000 in twenty years, and $15,000 in twenty-five years from said date.

Amount of Floating Debt—$10,500. Composed of Bonds and Notes. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Purchase of Steam Fire Engine, Erection of Fire Engine House and Purchase of Gravel lots. Falls Due—Now Due.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$2,095,020.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$1,727,244.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.20 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$9,275 53
City	13,913 30
Schools	7,729 61
Water	6,183 69
Dogs	450 00
Polls	1,329 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
Current Expenses of the City	$53,687 22
Receipts	55,707 63
Water Department—	
Expenditures	10,938 89
Receipts	11,265 80

JONATHAN W. ACTON, *Mayor of Salem City,*
Salem, New Jersey.

BOROUGH OF WOODSTOWN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$503,350 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	495,075 00
Total	$998,425 00
Amount of Debts	168,225 00
	$830,200 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.10 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—Seven hundred and fifty ($750) dollars for current expenses and special purposes, as shown in statement following.

Road Tax for 1884 raised with Township Road Tax, and the Borough proportion drawn therefrom.

Statement of receipts and expenditures of the Borough of Woodstown, N. J., from February 18th, 1884, to February 18th, 1885.

Receipts—	
Balance in Treasury	$96 58
Borough Appropriation	750 00
Licenses and Fines	182 98
Old Engine	25 00
Rent of Office	5 00
Previous Uncollected Accounts	2 50
Expenditures—	
Oil, Chimneys, &c	$83 71
Repairing Lamps	5 30
Lighting Lamps	144 00
Police	71 00
Note of 1884	100 00
Fire Engine	450 00
Equipments for Engine	17 18
Repairing Engine	33 50
Election Expenses	9 00
Ballot Box	8 75
Ground Rent of Office	18 00
Coal for Office	3 29
Clerk's Salary	16 50
Survey	4 00
Pump	26 70
Incidentals	15 25
Professional Services	25 00
Interest	25 18
Cash on hand	5 70
	$1,062 06

Balance Road money in Treasury February 18th, 1885, two hundred and forty-six dollars and forty-nine cents ($246.49).

WILLIAM H. REED, *Mayor*,
Woodstown.

TOWNSHIP OF LOWER ALLOWAYS CREEK.

Amount of Funded Debt—$900. Composed of Bond. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Expenses of Township. Falls Due—August 8th, 1886.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$660,119.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$407,097.

Rate of Tax Levied—General Tax Rate, 85 cents on the $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State and School Tax	$2,025 00
County Tax	2,771 00
Township Purposes	2,032 31
Debts	2,641 20
Net Property Taxable	8,030 96

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Printing	$14 34
Collector's Fees	117 64
Assessor's Fees	115 83
Committees	45 00
Clerks	10 00
Commissioners	9 00
Poor	10 00
Road Bill	1,413 01
Note and Interest	341 04
Gravel Bill	165 00
Logs	20 35
Lumber	41 96
Oyster Shells	182 90
Funeral Expenses	12 00
Road Scraper	75 00
Sheep Bills	21 00
Poultry	34 80
Taken off by Commissioner of Appeal	26 06
Loss on Tax Warrant	30 19
Miscellaneous	141 13

SAMUEL N. HOLLADAY, *Chairman*,
Quinton.

TOWNSHIP OF MANNINGTON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,394,275.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$648,800.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.79 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

For County purposes	$5,740 00
" School purposes	4,189 00
" Township	3,000 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 9th, 1885—

Paid for Road Work	$2,695 87
" Maintenance of the Poor	314 38
" Repairs of Town Hall	90 02
" Damages done to Sheep by Dogs	38 00
" Officers' Fees	452 22
" Lumber for Trunks in Public Roads	105 30
" Sundries	96 29

WOODNUTT PETTIT, *Chairman of Town Committee*,
Salem, New Jersey.

TOWNSHIP OF PILESGROVE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,861,250.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$1,235,200.
Indebtedness—$651,200.
Rate of Tax Levied—Township, $0.68; Borough, $0.10; Special School, $0.10 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Duplicate	$19,560 79
Special, Borough of Woodstown	817 38
Special School Tax	361 77
Roads	3,000 00
Incidentals	1,500 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year Ending February 10th, 1885—	
State and County	$12,778 00
Roads, Township	2,605 89
" Borough	958 18
Incidentals, Township	1,812 73
Uncollected Taxes	380 40
Taxes off other than for work	223 91

TOWNSHIP TREASURER.

DR.

To Amount on Hand at last Settlement	$2,956 37
To Cash from County	67 00
To Cash Duplicate 1882	11 03
To Cash Duplicate 1883	177 68
Sundry Fines, etc	5 30
Cash Township Collector	2,982 08
	$6,199 46

CR.

By Township Orders Paid	$3,425 00
By Cash on Hand	2,774 46
	$6,199 46

CASH ACCOUNT.

DR.

To Cash on Hand	$2,774 76
To Debtor Accounts on Ledger	6 20
	$2,780 96

CR.

By Unpaid Ledger Accounts	164 81
Net Cash Balance	$2,616 15

CHARLES RICHMAN,
Sharpstown.

TOWNSHIP OF PITTSGROVE.

Amount of Floating Debt—$400. Composed of Township Notes. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—New Roads. Falls Due—March 1st, 1886.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$514,500.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$226,700.

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.90 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County and School Tax	$2,811 00
Roads, Old	1,800 00
Township Debt	200 00
Poor	200 00
Expenses	400 00
Election Purposes	10 00
Special School Tax	775 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 10th, 1885—

County and School Tax	$2,811 00
Poor	222 12
Rate Book and Duplicate	7 50
Freights	12
Dog Damages to Domestic Animals	36 00
Smith and Wheelwright Work	2 10
Books	6 12
Printing	9 18
Freeholders' Bill Establishing Township Line	48 45
Loan Interest	434 60
Assessor's Fees	184 23
Collector's Fees	235 70
Road Work	1,726 85
Surveying and Fees	19 50
Clerk's Fees	26 00
Commissioners' of Appeal Fees	9 00
Committee Fees	66 00
Auctioneer	2 00
County Clerk	1 70
Taken off by Commissioners of Appeal	2 50
Uncollected Tax	232 27
Scrapers Casting	38 00
Assessor's Fees for Recording Births, Marriages and Deaths,	11 16
Recording Deeds	4 00
Paints	2 00
For Election Expenses, use of School-room	10 00
Incidental Expenses	10 00
Special School Tax	775 00
	$6,933 00

R. M. HITCHNER,
Elmer P. O., Salem County.

TOWNSHIP OF QUINTON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$5,685.63.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$2,681.20.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.90.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State and School Tax	$2,016 12
County Tax	2,016 12
Township Tax	2,016 12
Poll Tax	353 00
Dog Tax	288 00
	$6,689 36

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending October 1st, 1885—$1,860.25.

CHAUNCEY T. PATRICK, *Clerk.*

TOWNSHIP OF UPPER PENNS NECK.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$685,212.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$351,021.
Rate of Tax Levied—84 cents on the $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
For School	$2,123 00
" County	2,258 00
" Township	2,500 00
" Drainage	50 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March, 1885—	
Expended for Township Purposes	$2,550 00

GEORGE W. HEWITT,
Pennsgrove.

TOWNSHIP OF UPPER PITTSGROVE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable		$1,077,527
Amount of Personal Property Taxable		613,697
		$1,691,224
Debts		431,717
		$1,259,507
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.80 per $100.		
Valuation net, $1,295,507 (at $0.80)	$10,076 05	
494 Polls (at $1.00)	494 00	
		$10,570 05
Amount of Tax Raised—		
For School Purposes	$3,172 00	
For County Purposes	4,346 00	
For Township Purposes	2,560 00	
		10,078 00
Balance in Treasury		$492 05
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 14th, 1885—		
Expended for Use of Roads		$1,800 00
Expended for a Lamborn Road Machine		125 00
Officers' Fees, Poor Bills, etc., per Incidental Fund		500 00
		$2,425 00

SAMUEL DEAN, *Chairman*,
Whig Lane.

SOMERSET COUNTY.

Amount of Floating Debt—$109,088.25. Composed of County Notes, $61,270; Surplus Revenue, $47,818.25. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—On Notes, five per cent.; on Surplus Revenue, six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Schools and County Expenses. Falls Due—On demand.

Real Estate Total	$13,856,689 00
Indebtedness	4,573,966 00
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—Less Indebtedness	$9,281,723 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	7,009,277 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.58.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Courts	$7,000 00
County Jail	1,300 00
Coroners	300 00
Stationary	200 00
Elections	500 00
Advertising and Printing	400 00
Lunacy	7,500 00
Incidentals	1,000 00
Public Buildings	400 00
Bridges	20,400 00
Per Diem and Salaries	4,000 00
Interest	7,000 00
Schools	42,329 66
Total	$92,329 66

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 14th, 1885—

Court Expenses	$8,209 08
Tramp Expenses	1,764 68
County Jail	1,885 60
Coroners	311 91
Stationary	272 99
Elections	479 20
Advertising and Printing	412 45
Lunacy	7,518 98
Incidentals	1,356 14
Public Buildings and Grounds	674 05
Bridges	20,714 46
Per Diem and Salaries	3,914 49
Interest on County Notes	4,218 97
Interest on Surplus Revenue	2,869 09

Schools—amount raised, $42,329.66. Received back and Expenses, $38,096.69.

P. H. WIKOFF,
Millstone, Somerset County, N. J.

TOWN OF SOMERVILLE.

Amount of Tax Raised—
Road Taxes upon property within the limits of the corporation.

Balance on Hand as per last Annual Report	$3,110 47
Received for Taxes December, 1884	4,200 00
Land Sold	500 00
Sundries	40
	$7,810 87

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 4th, 1885—

Labor and Material on Streets, Ditches and Crossings	$1,454 80
Lighting Streets and Material	1,418 92
Water Rent and Tappings	652 76
Engineer, Fire Apparatus, Repairs, Supplies and Plumbing	734 51
Printing and Advertising	56 65
Engineering and Surveying on Streets	38 50
Sundries	60 77
Balance in Hand May 4th, 1885	3,393 96
	$7,810 87

L. A. THOMPSON, *President*,
Somerville.

CORPORATION OF BOUND BROOK.

Amount of Floating Debt—$1,000. Composed of Note given Somerville Savings Bank. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Five per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Working Streets, etc. Falls Due—February 1st, 1886.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$365,100.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$283,890.
Rate of Tax Levied—20 cents per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Streets, etc	$1,297 80

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 1st, 1885—

Streets and Sidewalks	$721 61
Lighting Streets	371 39
Miscellaneous	42 96

O. B. REYNOLDS, *President*,
Bound Brook.

TOWNSHIP OF BERNARDS.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,513,055.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$466,665.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.14 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

For Roads	$3,500 00
For County	4,821 68
For Poor	1,800 00
For Township Debt	2,800 00
For State School	4,082 00
To Defend Township in Railroad Bond Case	1,000 00
For Nine per cent. Township Purposes	1,649 14
	$19,652 82

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 1st, 1885—

For County	$4,821 68
For State School	4,082 00
For Roads	3,500 00
For Poor	1,800 00
For Township Debt	2,800 00
For Defending Railroad Bond Suits	1,000 00
For Township Purposes	1,649 14
	$19,652 82

JOHN COMPTON, *Chairman*,
Liberty Corner.

TOWNSHIP OF BEDMINSTER.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$997,630.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$560,244.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.94.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County	$3,600 15
State School	3,047 86
Road Tax	2,200 00
Poor Tax	1,500 00
Incidentals	500 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 11th, 1885—

County	$3,600 15
State School	3,047 86
Roads	2,176 50
Poor	1,380 72
Cash on Hand at Settlement	912 73

E. RANDALL, *Chairman*,
Bedminster, Somerset Co., N J.

TOWNSHIP OF BRANCHBURG.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$932,641 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	506,301 00
	$1,438,942 00
Less Debts	404,067 00
	$1,034,875 00

Rate of Tax Levied—85 cents.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
School	$2,556 77
County	3,020 07
Highway	1,600 00
Support of Poor	1,000 00
Fees and Deficiencies	800 00
For use of Hall	25 00
	$9,001 84

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 10th, 1885—	
Paid County Collector	$2,556 77
" " " County Purposes	3,020 07
" Support of Poor	779 56
" Note	600 00
" Road Work	1,420 47
" Fees	380 68
" Miscellaneous Bills	335 77
	$9,093 32

J. B. D. MYERS, *Chairman*,
Readington.

TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—
Amount of Personal Property Taxable— } $2,389,361.
Rate of Tax Levied—$7.50 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Schools	$6,485 49
County	7,660 80
Special School	472 71
Township Purposes as stated below	4,495 89
	$19,114 89

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 14th, 1885—	
Roads	$3,000 00
Poor	600 00
Small Bridges	200 00
Expenses for Assessing and Collecting, and Fees of other Officers	695 89
	$4,495 89

CHARLES N. HOAGLAND,
Griggstown.

TOWNSHIP OF HILLSBOROUGH.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$2,412,003.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$1,175,131.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.80 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$7,221 77
School Tax	6,113 91
For Public Roads	3,000 00
For Small Bridges, &c	300 00
Left Discretionary with Committee	300 00
Out-door Paupers	500 00
Fees and Deficiencies	800 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 18th, 1885—

Amount of Road Lists	$2,878 86
School Orders Paid	6,111 06
Bridge Bills	315 02
Road Bills	171 92
Paid for Out-door Poor	570 38
Printer's Bills	67 00
Election Bills	58 50
Use Public Houses	107 50
Town Clerk Bill	45 00
Committee Bill	110 00
Assessor's Bill	278 96
Collector's Bill	312 79
Justice's Bill	40 58
Board Health	16 00
Commissioner of Appeals Bill	6 00
Physicians	171 72
Constable	2 36
Overseer Services	104 85
Sheep Bills	101 17
Funeral Expenses, Paupers	24 00
Collector, Paid for Poor Farm	571 80
Counsel Bills	21 00

PETER N. VAN NUYS, *Town Clerk*,
Harlingen P. O., Somerset Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF MONTGOMERY.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$731,198.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$520,056.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.80 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County	$3,762 71
School	3,185 57
Township	3,061 75
	$10,010,03

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 3d, 1885—

County	$3,762 71
School	3,185 57
Township	3,061 75
	$10,010 03

EDWIN S. VOORHEES,
Rocky Hill.

TOWNSHIP OF NORTH PLAINFIELD.

Amount of Funded Debt—$32,500. Composed of Coupon Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six and Seven per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Street Improvements. Falls due—From 1885 to 1891.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$4,301 26. Composed of Assessments and Taxes. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—Cash, to provide for Maturing Bonds and excess of Assessments.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,197,961.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$200,289.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.72; $1.22 General; $0.50 Special School.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$3,946 96
State School	3,341 48
Township	1,800 00
Poor	1,400 00
Roads	2,200 00
Interest and Sinking Fund	5,000 00
Special School	5,655 81
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 12th, 1885—	
County	$3,946 96
State School	3,341 98
Township	2,439 72
Poor	1,414 95
Roads	2,348 78
Interest and Sinking Fund	7,471 81
Schools	10,342 88

D. R. WEAVER, *Chairman*,
Plainfield, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF WARREN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$271,080.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$69,920.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.08 on $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County Tax	$11,413 00
School "	866 89
Road "	1,000 00
Poor "	500 00
Dog "	129 60
Poll "	283 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 12th, 1885—	
By Paying County Collector	$1,896 62
" " Road Bills	1,246 10
" " for Support of Poor	841 59
" " Township Officers' Fees	390 02
" " Dog Damages	51 50
" " Town Meeting Expenses	25 50
" " Rent of Hall for Township	20 00

By Paying Delinquent Taxes of 1883 and 1884	$219 78
" " Taxes Remitted by Court of Appeal	52 75
" " " " " Committee, 1883 and 1884,	30 63
" " Returning and Recording Unpaid Land Taxes,	1 63
" " Printing Bills	8 [illegible]
" " Stationery, etc	2 88
Cash in hands of Treasurer	207 89
	$4,997 44

Amount of Duplicate	$4,593 24
Dog Tax	91 00
Delinquents, 1883	124 36
Collected on Remitted List, 1883	1 91
Cash from Settlement of 1884	186 93
	$4,997 44

GEORGE KIRCH, *Chairman*,
Warrenville.

SUSSEX COUNTY.

TOWN OF NEWTON.

Amount of Funded Debt—$26,500. Composed of—School Bonds, $2,000; Railroad Bonds, $24,500. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—$16,500 at five per cent. $10,000 at seven per cent. Purpose for which contracted—School Bonds for the erection of School Building, Railroad Bonds for the extension of Sussex Railroad to Franklin Furnace, N. J. Falls Due—School Bonds, $2,000, annually; Railroad Bonds, $1,000, annually until January 1st, 1886; after that $3,000 each year.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$820,962
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	834,715
	$1,655,677
Less Debts	436,150
	$1,219,527

Rate of Tax Levied—$12 75 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

District School Tax	$2,400 00
State School Tax	3,123 40
County Tax	4,761 65
School Bond, Principal, $2,000; Interest, $280	2,280 00
Railroad Bond, Principal, $1,000; Interest, $1,455	2,455 00
Town Gas and Town Officers	2,279 95
Board of Health	400 00
Support of Poor	500 00
Streets and Sidewalks	1,200 00
Fire Department	500 00
	$19,900 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 10th, 1885—

District School	$5,406 85
State School and County Tax	7,885 05
Railroad Bonds	1,000 00
School Bonds	2,000 00
School Bonds, Interest	280 00
Railroad Bonds, Interest	1,330 00
Board of Health	409 67
Town Gas and Town Officers	1,566 72
Poor	351 62
Fire Department	1,183 98
Streets and Sidewalks	1,259 77
	$22,673 66

JAMES DECKER, *Chairman*,
Newton.

TOWNSHIP OF BYRAM.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$389,070.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$127,460.
Rate of Tax Levied—$8.80 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State and County	$3,120 87
Township School	1,100 00
Roads	1,500 00
Poor	200 00
Town	200 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September, 1885—

State and County	$3,151 58
Township Schools	1,100 00
Township Roads	1,500 00
Drainage	1,000 00
Poor	200 00
Incidentals	200 00

SAMUEL T. SMITH, *Chairman Township Committee*,
Waterloo.

TOWNSHIP OF FRANKFORD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$830,790 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	444,843 00
	$1,275,633 00
Deducted for Debts	334,988 00
	$940,645 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$9.71 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Amount from Last Report	$73 82
Collected from old Tax Warrant	311 71
From Duplicate 1884 for Road Purposes	1,800 00
" " " School Purposes	750 00
Special School	722 75
County Tax	5,181 31
Town and Poor Tax	1,088 68
	$9,928 27

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Paid County Collector	$5,181 30
" Road Appropriation	1,746 58
" Schools	750 00
" Special Schools	700 59
" Commissioners of Appeals	9 00
" Town Collector's Bill	124 46
" Printing	54 61
" Election Expenses	18 00
" For Shoveling Snow	27 95
" Support of Poor	106 39
" Assessor's Bill	100 64
" Town Clerk and Town Committee	69 54
" Charles Roe, Jr., Bill	80 42
" Sheep killed by Dogs	27 00
" Reports of Deaths	1 80
" Rent for Public Room	20 00
" Interest on Note	2 50
" Deducted by Commissioners	60 04
" Taxes Returned Uncollected	639 44
Balance in hands of Treasurer	208 01
	$9,928 27

Amounts due the Schools in hands of Collector—

District No. 101	$327 26
" " 102	344 46
" " 103	865 94
" " 105	299 53
" " 106	367 97
" " 107	235 38
" " 110	336 85
	$2,777 39

C. A. DeKAY, *Chairman*,
Branchville.

GREEN TOWNSHIP.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$525,690.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$265,960.
Rate of Tax Levied—$7.8[illegible]

Amount of Tax Raised—

Total Valuation Taxable	$641,581 00
County	4,210 95
Roads	991 97
Extra School	279 73
Incidentals	300 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September 1st, 1885—

For Township Incidentals	$104 94

WILLIAM C. GRAY,
Hunt's Mills, Sussex County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF HAMPTON.

Amount of Floating Debt—$400. Composed of—Three notes of hand, 1st, $50; 2d, $150; 3d, $200. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Township Debts. Falls Due—One day after date.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$495,720.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$286,650.
Rate of Tax Levied—$9.00.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State and County	$3,914 22
Road Tax	1,500 00
Incidental	700 00
Dog Tax	61 02

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 10th, 1885—

State and County	$3,914 22
Road Tax	1,500 00
Incidental	700 00
Dog Tax	61 02

J. R. STOLL, *Chairman of Hampton Committee,*
Newton.

TOWNSHIP OF HARDYSTON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable		$773,100 00
Less Debts Deducted		140,700 00
		$632,400 00

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$157,400.
Rate of Tax Levied—$10.12 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

School and County	$4,729 97	
Road	2,000 00	
Township	1,263 68	
Poll	550 00	
		$8,543 65

School District No. 64	$505 60	
" " No. 58	197 54	
" " No. 61	307 50	
" " No. 50	4 66	
" " No. 68	28 78	
		$1,044 08
		$9,587 73

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September 28th, 1885—

Township	$578 57
Poor	95 77
Bounty	86 50
	$760 84

W. H. INGERSOLL, *Chairman*,
Hamburgh, Sussex Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF LAFAYETTE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$460,630.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$265,230.
Rate of Tax Levied—$7.70 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County and School	$3,040 94
For Roads	900 00
For Incidental Town Expenses	310 55
For all Purposes	$4,251 49

GARRET VAN BLARCOM, *Chairman Committee*,
Lafayette, Sussex Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF MONTAGUE.

Amount of Funded Debt—$275. Composed of Notes.
Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Township Expenses. Falls Due—March 1st, 1886.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$298,188 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	117,550 00
	$415,738 00
Debt, including Soldiers' Expenses	72,750 00
	$342,988 00

Rate of Tax Levied—State, School, County and Road, $10.50 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School and County	$2,076 00
Township Money, including 167 Polls	478 58
Road Money	1,245 32
Special School, District No. 3	225 87
	$4,025 77

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September 26th, 1885—	
Committee and Clerks' Bills	$75 00
Assessor	60 00
Collector	45 00
Election, $25.50; Printing Tickets, $2.50	28 00
Poor	50 00
Commissioners of Appeals	9 00
Printing	42 50

JOSHUA COLE.

TOWNSHIP OF SANDYSTON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$289,662.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$134,938.
Rate of Tax Levied—$9.40.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County and School	$2,545 05
Road	1,200 00
Township	250 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
County and School	$2,545 05
Road	1,200 00
Township	250 00

HENRY M. ELLETT, *Chairman*,
Laytons.

TOWNSHIP OF SPARTA.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$709,046.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$231,404.
Rate of Tax Levied—$10 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—$9,404.50.	
For Use of Highways	$1,800 00
Township Schools	1,200 00
Town Purposes	500 00
County and School Money	5,645 78

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

To Medical Bill for Poor	$91 75
Room for Town Business	10 00
Justice's Bill	18 15
Constable Bill	15 00
For Relief of Poor	228 08
Commissioners of Appeal	9 00
Town Committee	58 00
Bill for Printing	64 00
Assessor's Bill	120 86
Town Clerk's Bill	55 25
Inspector's Bill	12 00
Collector's Bill	179 01
Sheep Bills	63 00
	$924 10

JOHN McMICKLE,
Sparta.

TOWNSHIP OF STILLWATER.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$565,312.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$105,835.
Rate of Tax Levied—88 per cent.

Amount of Tax Raised—

School and County	$4,415 26
Roads	1,500 00
Poor	50 00
Extra School Money	300 00
Town Money	150 00
Snow Money	100 00
Total Tax Raised	$6,515 26

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending October 1st, 1885—

Roads	$1,500 00
Poor	50 00
Extra School	300 00
Town Money	150 00
Snow Money	100 00

JESSE SHERREIL, *Chairman of Committee.*

TOWNSHIP OF VERNON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$550,970.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$204,650.
Rate of Tax Levied—$10.11 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School Tax	$1,734 54
County Tax	2,644 30
Road Tax	2,000 00
Town Money	200 00
Town School Money	800 00
Dog Tax	47 50
Poll Tax	378 00
Balance in Treasury October 1st, 1884	158 08
	$7,962 42

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending October 1st, 1885—

State School Tax paid	$1,734 54
County Tax paid	2,644 30
Town School Tax paid	800 00
Assessor's Bill paid	94 35
Collector's Bill paid	117 90
Commissioners of Appeals paid	15 00
Poor Bills paid	57 75
Printing Bills paid	6 25
Expenses Town Election	25 50
Use of House for Town Business	20 00
Committee and Clerk's Services	39 00
Treasurer's Services	5 00
Town Records	4 00
Sheep Damages	27 50
Justice of Peace	4 09
Stationery	40
Delinquent Taxes	337 84
Road Tax Worked Out	1,738 76
Balance in hands of Treasurer	290 24
	$7,962 42

COLLECTOR'S SCHOOL REPORT.

Total receipts including balances	$5,904 61
Total amount paid out	4,062 20
Balance on hand	$1,842 41

LEWIS R. MARTIN,
Glenwood, Sussex County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF WANTAGE.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,320,429.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—837,976.
Rate of Tax Levied—$7.00 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Quota	$9,950 56
Road Tax	4,000 00
Poll Tax	820 00
Town and School	1,158 27
	$15,928 83

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
Paid County Collector	$9,950 56
" Road Money Expended	4,000 00
" For Schools and Town Expenses	1,978 27
	$15,928 83

WM. T. WRIGHT, *Chairman*,
Deckertown, Wantage Township, Sussex County, N. J.

UNION COUNTY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$389,000. Composed of—Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—$198,000 at Five per cent., $104,000 at Six per cent., $87,000 at Seven per cent. Purpose for which contracted—$324,000 for War, $65,000 for Freshet. Falls due—From 1885 to 1900.

Amount of Floating Debt—$12,424. Composed of Temporary Loans. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Current Expenses. Falls due—During the current year.

Assets—$28,415.92. Composed of—Cash and Amounts due from Cities. Purpose—To meet Temporary Loans.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$21,617,730.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$3,056,370.

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.52 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised	$140,000 00
Add Assets Appropriated	39,620 00
Total Appropriation	$179,620 00
Court	$32,000 00
Jail	5,000 00
Lunacy	21,500 00
Members' Pay, Committee Expenses and Salaries	7,000 00
Coroners	800 00
Elections	1,800 00
Stationery	1,500 00
Publication	2,300 00
Incidentals, Schools, etc.	5,300 00
Bonds	22,000 00
Interest on Bonds	25,420 00
Temporary Loans	31,500 00
Interest on Temporary Loans	3,000 00
Buildings	7,000 00
Bridges	13,000 00
Total	$179,620 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 13th, 1885—	
Courts	$20,626 62
Jail	4,524 76
Lunacy	20,206 46

Members' Pay, Committee Expenses and Salaries	$7,103 43
Coroners	307 47
Elections	1,688 73
Stationery	1,351 14
Publication	2,262 67
School Order, Mandamus to Plainfield, Incidentals, Schools, etc	7,171 42
Bonds	22,000 00
Interest on Bonds	22,500 00
Temporary Loans	31,500 00
Interest on Temporary Loans	1,600 88
Buildings	7,246 02
Bridges	16,786 59
Total	$166,871 19

C. W. L. MARTINE, *Director*,
Fanwood.

CITY OF ELIZABETH.

Amount of Funded Debt—$3,967,500. Composed of—$3,424,000 City Bonds, with Unpaid Interest, at Seven per cent., since February, 1879, and $543,500 Adjustment Bonds, bearing Interest at Four per cent., which has been paid to date. Purpose for which Contracted—Street Improvements, Public Buildings, Rebate of Assessments, Anticipated Tax Collections and Adjustment of City Debt to July 1st, 1882. Falls Due—1879 to 1922.

Amount of Floating Debt—$781,469.75. Composed of Temporary Loans. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six and Seven per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Anticipation of Taxes and Assessments, to meet Liabilities Maturing prior to 1879.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$140,757.93.

Composed of—

Bonds of the City	$93,000 00
Government Bonds	40,000 00
Cash on Hand	7,757 93
	$140,757 93

Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—Bonds and Cash as above mentioned, for the Purpose of Reducing the City Debt.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable in 1884	$11,131,425 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable in 1884	1,605,335 00
	$12,736,760 00
Less Liabilities	395,025 00
	$12,341,735 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$2 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

City Purposes	$138,227 44
State and County Purposes	108,607 27
	$246,834 71

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending December 31st, 1884,—

Account 1879—	
Contingent Fund	$18 75
Account 1880—	
Contingent Fund	386 70
Fire Bell, Lower Wards	476 25
Account 1881—	
Contingent Fund	504 12
Account 1882—	
Public Schools	635 10
Streets and Highways	39 75
Fire Department	83 00
Poor and Alms	80 64
Lamps and Gas	790 11
Public Grounds and Buildings	49 50
Salaries	64 00
Water and Hydrants	36 00
Health Department	45 00
Tax Assessors	58 00
Contingent Fund	78 50
Account 1883—	
Public Schools	8,406 58
Streets and Highways and Crosswalks	1,193 94
Fire Department	1,620 73
Poor and Alms	1,830 57
Police Department	3,653 45
Lamps and Gas	1,470 29
Printing	185 30
Public Grounds and Buildings	444 11
Contingencies, Salaries and Tax Assessors	2,643 54
Health Department	531 57
Water and Hydrants	868 99
Sewers and Basins	51 90
Account 1884—	
Contingencies, Salaries and Street Lights	22,672 21
Streets and Highways	3,863 65
Printing	1,347 16
State and County Taxes	90,755 01
School Teachers' Salaries and Fuel	34,991 41
Temporary Loans	4,675 37
Interest on Loans	3,663 64
Interest on Adjustment Bonds	21,980 00
Judgment of R. & O. Goelet	5,521 35
Theodore Runyon	1,840 45
Mary J. Shepherd	2,324 78
James J. Thompson	442 43
District Court, Account 1883	500 00
Public Market	776 35
Supplies to Eliza Sorrell	58 50
Search Account Investment	550 00
Rent of Barn on Union Street Refunded	106 50
Taxes of 1883 Refunded	16 50
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Licenses	13,511 00
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Tax Arrears	451 67
	$236,294 37

TAXES OFFSET DURING 1884.

Account 1882—	
Fire Department	$953 48
Police Department	4,692 53
Poor and Alms	3,247 52

Lamps and Gas	$1,493 40
Salaries	1,052 00
Water and Hydrants	1,008 05
Health Department	747 58
Crosswalks	147 40
Tax Assessors	1,761 72
	$15,103 68

Account 1883—

Fire Department	$994 64
Police Department	1,082 01
Poor and Alms	4,735 11
Lamps and Gas	5,145 34
Printing	251 40
Health Department	1,315 44
Public Grounds and Buildings	577 29
Contingencies, Salaries and Tax Assessors	511 33
Water and Hydrants	2,475 88
	$17,088 44

Payments, Account 1884—

Public Schools	$6,097 62
Fire Department	9,003 74
Health Department	2,620 42
Poor and Alms	6,119 40
Police Department	13,087 94
Streets and Highways	13,453 33
Assessing and Collecting	1,651 57
Taxes Refunded	43 68
Tax Warrants, Fees to Justice	28 50
	$52,106 20

Taxes Offset, Account 1884—

Public Schools	$3,010 63
Fire Department	4,546 90
Health Department	2,450 09
Poor and Alms	5,061 57
Police Department	14,780 00
Streets and Highways	2,615 03
Assessing and Collecting	12,337 51
	$44,801 73

F. H. GRIER, *Mayor*,
Elizabeth, Union County, N. J.

CITY OF PLAINFIELD.

Amount of Floating Debt—$2,500. Composed of—Sixty Day Note in Bank, Discounted in anticipation of Taxes. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Current Expenses.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$4,018,200.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$948,550.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.74 on $100 assessed valuation.

Amount of Tax Ordered Raised for 1885—	
City Government	$16,296 61
Public Library	958 62
City Poor	3,834 50
Judgments	4,304 80
Public School, City	18,213 86
Public School, State	12,452 11
County	27,320 78
Fire Department (including Plainfield and North Plainfield)	7,000 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending January 1st, 1885—	
Street Lights	$5,165 12
Street Repairs	4,258 21
Street Improvements, Cracked Stone	2,759 13
Street Implements, Crosswalks and Surveys	626 24
Police	2,836 89
Salaries	2,042 62
Collector and Assessor Fees	2,081 89
Advertising, Printing and Stationery	732 58
Elections and Registry	706 50
Council Room and Jail Rent	558 44
Sundries	348 55
City Poor	3,319 62
Total	$25,435 79

Fire Department, year ending March 31st, 1885, Special Incorporation—	
Running Expenses	$4,500 58
Buildings	2,085 26
Hose and Cart	1,185 00
Fire Wells	783 87
Bonds Redeemed	2,000 00
Total	$10,554 71

Public School, year ending September 1st, 1885, Special Incorporation—	
Running Expenses	$20,302 86
Bonds, Mortgages and Interest paid	5,962 80
Incidentals	1,320 43
New Building, Sixth Street, on Account	2,500 00
Total	$30,086 09

GEORGE W. ROCKFELLOW, *Mayor*,
Plainfield.

TOWNSHIP OF CRANFORD.

Trustees of School District No. 9, embracing Cranford Township, issued and sold from September 10th to 16th, 1884, six School Bonds, $500 each—$3,000.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$383,600.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$47,830.

Rate of Tax Levied—$2 on $100 Valuation.

Amount of Tax Raised—

Sidewalk Tax	$56 23
State School Tax	1,065 93
County Tax	2,387 86
Special School Tax	2,900 00
Roads (ordinary repairs)	400 00
Roads (for use of crushed stone)	1,000 00
Dog Tax	64 50
Poll Tax	263 00
Surplus Assessment	459 31
Township Tax	300 00
	$8,896 83

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 16th, 1885—

Poor Account	$3 00
School Account	7,564 28
Dog Tax Account	62 70
Roads (ordinary repairs)	352 00
Roads (for use of crushed stone)	1,000 00
State School Tax	1,065 93
County Tax	2,387 86
Sidewalk Account	57 76
General Township Account	837 55
	$13,331 08

EDWARD BEADLE, *Chairman Township Committee,*
Cranford, Union County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF FANWOOD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$478,095.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$184,575.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.08.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County Tax	$3,352 61
Township Tax	902 89
State School Tax	1,676 54
Special School Tax	1,838 93
Road Tax	1,081 62
Special Road Tax	307 45

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 18th, 1885—

Salaries and Incidentals	$794 16
Roads	980 62
Poor	452 36
Schools	3,163 95

WILLIAM D. JOHNSTON, *Chairman,*
Scotch Plains.

TOWNSHIP OF NEW PROVIDENCE.

Amount of Floating Debt—$450. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Legal Expenses.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$226,150.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$21,800.
Rate of Tax Levied—State, School and County, $0.72 per $100; Township, $0.6325; Road, $0.43.

B. JONES,
New Providence.

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$280,400.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$25,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—$1.77 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County Tax	$1,584 17
Township	1,200 00
Special School	600 00
State School	707 16
Road	700 00
Walks	150 00
	$4,941 33
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 16th, 1885—	
Roads and Walks	$846 04
Schools	1,726 84
Poor	663 46
Township	500 00

H. M. GRAVES,
Springfield, Union Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF SUMMIT.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$717,000.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$83,000.
Rate of Tax Levied—$2.42.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
For Roads	$2,800 00
" Poor	600 00
" Police	700 00
" Township	1,000 00
" Health	250 00
" School District	4,765 00
" State School	2,026 25
" County	4,539 17

Expenditures for the Fiscal year ending March 12th, 1885—

For Roads	$2,739 39
" Poor	519 67
" Police	632 29
" Township and Heath	2,167 20
" State and County	5,231 32

JOHN B. WALSH, *Chairman*,
Summit, Union County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF UNION.

Amount of Funded Debt—$22,000. Composed of—$1,000 Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Ordered by Supreme Court for Southeasterly District Improvements. Falls Due—$6,000 June 1st, 1885; $6,000 June 1st, 1886; $6,000 June 1st, 1887; $4,000 June 1st, 1888.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,150,000.

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$249,400.

Rate of Tax Levied—$1.57.

Amount of Tax Raised—$26,572.02.

Southeasterly Bond and Interest Tax	$7,320 00
County Tax	7,530 48
Township "	1,200 00
Poor "	1,000 00
Road "	1,000 00
State School	3,361 55
Special School	4,974 99
Tax on Dogs	185 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—

Southeasterly Bond and Interest Tax	$7,320 00
County Tax	7,530 00
Roads	1,000 00
State School	3,361 55
Special School	4,974 99
Poor	856 81
Township	1,121 72
Dog Damage	264 20
Assessing and Collecting Dog Tax	34 90

JAMES A. BURNETT, *Chairman Township Committee*,
P. O. Hilton, Essex Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF WESTFIELD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$664,115,

Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$86,955.

Rate of Tax Levied—State School, $0.30; County, $0.60; Township, $0.65; Special School, $0.48; total, $2.035.

Amount of Tax Raised—		
Poll Tax		$512 00
Dog Tax		53 25
State School Tax		2,228 42
Special School Tax		2,921 81
County Tax		4,456 02
Township Tax		521 04
Poor Tax		967 06
Road Tax		708 52
Special Road Tax		1,542 05
Special Fire Department Tax		372 77
Special Crushed Stone Tax		2,303 77
Total		$16,586 71
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 13th, 1885—		
Paid School District No 10	$4,296 98	
" Bond and Interest No. 10	1,070 00	
		$5,366 98
" School District No. 15		548 84
" School District No. 6		9 81
" State and County Tax		6,161 39
" Support of Poor		776 88
" Repairs of Roads		3,572 00
" Support of Fire Department		250 00
Amount of Taxes remitted by Commissioners of Appeals		49 19
Paid Interest on Loan (Discount)		60 00
Road Vouchers returned to Collector for Work on Road		397 95
Firemen's Exemptions, remitted by law		264 00
One year's Rent of Town Rooms		100 00
Assessor's Fees for 1884		426 58
Collector's Fees for 1884		554 85
Town Committee and Town Clerk		381 56
Township Counsel Fees for 1884		75 00
Paid Expenses of Board of Health		16 98
Paid Judge, Clerk and Inspectors of Election		43 75
Paid Printing and other Miscellaneous Expenses		162 08
		$19,217 84

JAMES L. MILLER, *Chairman*,
Westfield.

WARREN COUNTY.

Amount of Funded Debt—$38,000. Composed of Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five per cent. Purpose for which contracted—To Fund Floating Debt and Pay Repairs to Court House. Falls Due—$12,000, April 1st, 1886; $13,000, April 1st, 1887; $13,000, April 1st, 1888.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable	$16,199,739 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable	6,743,668 00
	$22,943,407 00
Debts Deducted	3,678,568 00
Total Taxable	$19,264,839 00

Amount of Tax Raised—	
Support of Public Schools	$48,409 25
County Purposes	52,153 20
	$100,562 45

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending May 12th, 1885—	
Freeholders	$1,879 96
Committees	192 57
Officers' Salaries	720 00
Incidentals	2,115 55
County Poorhouse	5,082 12
County Buildings	446 15
Bridges	5,701 57
Coroners	253 65
Elections	765 35
Printing and Advertising	1,082 03
Stationery	209 89
Jail	3,448 17
Court House Repairs	23 95
Sewer	826 84
Courts	7,578 11
Asylum and Relief	9,625 22
Prosecution and Transportation of Prisoners	388 88
Bonded Debt Paid	12,000 00
Interest on Bonds and Temporary Loans	2,829 17
Support of Public Schools	48,409 25

THOMAS L. TITUS, *Director*,
Lock Box 28, Phillipsburg.

TOWN OF HACKETTSTOWN.

Amount of Funded Debt—$26,900. Composed of Bonds, as follows, to wit: $5,200 at Seven per cent.; $200 at Six per cent.; $21,500 at Five per cent. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Seven per cent., Six per cent. and Five per cent. Purpose for which Contracted—Town Improvements.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$913,200,
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$252,870, } $960,915, Net Amount Taxable.
Amount of Debt—$205,155,
Rate of Tax Levied—$18.80 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State School	$2,498 37
County	2,786 65
Special School	2,000 00
Borough	18 80

A. C. VAN SYCKLE, *Mayor*,
Hackettstown, Warren County, N. J.

TOWN OF PHILLIPSBURG.

Amount of Funded Debt—$105,250. Composed of Bonds, viz.: Renewal Coupon, $15,500; Funding, $28,500; Municipal Coupon and Registered, $18,650; War, $42,600. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—$6,200 at four and a half per cent.;

$9,300 at five per cent.; $28,500 at five per cent.; $18,650 at seven per cent.; $42,600 at five per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Building School Houses, War Deb and Improvement to Streets and Alleys. Falls Due—From May 1st, 1886, to December 1st, 1897.

Amount of Floating Debt—$244. Composed of Outstanding Orders.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$2,237,485.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$563,266.
Rate of Tax Levied—$13.80 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—$36,672.

Interest on Bonds	$5,657 00
State School and County	13,600 00
Town School	7,500 00
Salary and Contingent Account	3,415 00
Police	2,400 00
Streets and Alleys	1,500 00
Fire	600.00
Lighting Streets	700 00
Poor	300 00
To Pay Debt	1,000 00
	$36,672 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year Ending May 4th, 1885—

Interest on Bonds	$6,006 50
State School and County	13,146 90
Salary and Contingent	3,620 29
Streets and Alleys	1,670 66
Lighting Street	658 40
Police	2,358 70
Fire	380 15
Poor	320 00
Paid Bonds	5,500 00
Town Schools	3,000 00

PETER H. HAGERTY, *Mayor*,
Phillipsburg, Warren County, N. J.

BOROUGH OF WASHINGTON.

Amount of Funded Debt—$1,649.25. Composed of—Registered Bonds. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Five and a half per cent. Purpose for which contracted—To Fund the Floating Debt. Falls Due—$549.75 April 1st, 1886; $549.75 April 1st, 1887; $549.75 April 1st, 1888.

Amount of Real Estate	$820,180 00
Amount of Personal Estate	326,130 00
	$1,146,310 00
Debts Deducted	251,147 00
Amount of Real and Personal Estate Taxable	$895,163 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$14.50 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School Tax	$2,327 42
County "	2,595 97
Special School "	3,550 00
For Borough Purposes	4,000 00
	$12,473 39

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 11th, 1885—

Washington Water Co., Yearly Rental for Fire Purposes	$1,000 00
Borough Bond Paid	549 75
Interest on Bonds	151 18
Labor on Streets	634 35
Policemen	599 05
Lamp Lighter, Oil, etc	514 32
Incidentals	388 59
Collector's Services and Expenses	274 56
Borough Officers	245 00
Assessor	172 24
Fire Department	151 54
Printing	110 35
Repairs to Borough Building	91 81
Election Boards	77 00
Board of Health	50 00
Insurance	25 00
Coal	19 75
	$5,054 49

JOHNSTON CORNISH, *Mayor.*

TOWNSHIP OF BLAIRSTOWN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$673,389.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$382,289.
Rate of Tax Levied—$6.90 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—$339, Poll Tax.

State School Tax	$2,660 33
County Tax	2,850 35
Township	2,200 00
	$7,710 68

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 15th, 1885—

County Collector	$2,850 35
County School Tax	2,660 33
Township Expenses, Repairing of Highway and Expense Support of Poor	1,700 00
Township Officers	423 00
	$7,633 96

N. S. SMITH, *Treasurer Township Committee,*
Blairstown Post Office, Warren Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$968,930.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$178,787.
Rate of Tax Levied—$6.50.

Amount of Tax Raised—

County	$3,158 93
School	2,832 16
Special School Tax for Districts	364 70
Township	1,147 72
Sheep Bills	71 70

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 7th, 1885—

County Tax	$3,158 93
State School Tax	2,832 16
Special School Tax for Districts	364 70
Roads	1,083 97
Sheep Bills	40 00
Deductions by Commissioners Appeal	24 80
Poor	6 06
Sundry Bills Paid	444 59
Due on Tax Warrants	498 58
Balance in hands of Treasurer	499 53

JOHN BAYLOR,
Broadway, Franklin Township.

TOWNSHIP OF FRELINGHUYSEN.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$639,974.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$137,753.
Rate of Tax Levied—$7 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—
Amount of Duplicate of 1884—$5,714.31.

County and School	$4,074 23
Road Money	1,200 00
Dog Tax	125 73
Delinquents of 1882 and 1883	32 29
Poll and Township	282 06
	$5,714 31
Cash in hands of Township Treasurer	300 80
	$6,015 11

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September 1st, 1885—

County Collector's Receipt	$4,074 23
Sheep Bills	95 00
Discharged by Township Committee	33 18
Abatement by Commissioners	18 47
Commissioners' Fees	9 00

Road Work	$1,250 02
Officers' Fees	208 87
Poor Bills	58 50
Printing Bill	2 50
Use of House for Elections	10 00
Extra Work on Roads	8 50
Total Expenditures	$5,768 27
Balance in hands of Township Treasurer	246 84
	$6,015 11

E. P. COOKE, *Clerk*,
Johnsonburg.

TOWNSHIP OF GREENWICH.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$552.12. Composed of Cash in Hands of Treasurer.
Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$610,086.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$184,422.
Rate of Tax Levied—$6.20 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—

State School	$1,800 02
County	1,928 60
Township	700 00
District School	329 64
Dog	41 28

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 7th, 1885—

Road Bills	$638 44
Expenditures during the Year	354 26
Collector's Fee	91 51

ANDREW P. KINNEY, *Chairman*,
Stewartsville, Warren Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF HARDWICK.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$142,427.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$107,300.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.79 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—

For County	$724 21
State School	649 29
Road	600 00
Town Expenses	200 00

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September 19th, 1885—$2,173.50.

ISAAC S. VOSZ.

TOWNSHIP OF HARMONY.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$754,903.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$312,689.
Total Taxable—$884,165.
Rate of Tax Levied.—$7.30 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax raised—	
Roads	$1,400 00
Poor	100 00
Money for Township Purposes	161 03
School money	2,298 82
County	2,564 07
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending September 8th, 1885—	
Amount of Expended on Roads	1,577 24
Amount Expended for Township Purposes, including Assessor's and Collector's Fees	411 90
Total	1,989 14

SAMUEL VANNATTA, *Chairman of Committee,*
Rocksburg, Warren County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF HOPE.

Amount of Funded Debt—$450. Composed of—Notes and Township Drafts. Rate of Interest on Funded Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—Incidentals of Township. Falls Due—January 1st, 1886.

Amount of Floating Debt—$120. Composed of Drafts. Purpose for which contracted—Incidentals of Township. Falls Due—January 1st, 1886.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$847,029.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$530,558.
Rate of Tax Levied—$7.30 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County Tax	$3,213 22
School Tax	2,880 82
Road Money	1,800 00
Poor Money	75 00
For Indebtedness	450 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 17th, 1885—	
Assessor's Fees	$132 48
Collector's Fees	109 36
Committee and Clerk's Fees	65 07
House for Holding Town Meeting and Election	20 00
Board of Election	24 00
Poor Bills	60 40
Shoveling Snow	17 49
Repairs of the Highways	1,945 32
Sheep Bills	322 50

Counsel Fees	$12 75
Printing	7 64
Miscellaneous Bills	5 75
Total	$2,722 76

JAMES F. FLEMING, *Chairman*,
Danville.

TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE.

Amount of Sinking Fund—Balance on Hand at Settlement with Collector, February 8th, 1885. Composed of—School Funds, Cash on Hand and Amount due on Tax Warrants, $631.19. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—To be used for Township Purposes.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$495,400.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$230,350.
Rate of Tax Levied—$7.25 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County Tax	$1,550 21
State and Special School Tax	1,897 84
Road and Poor Tax	1,250 00
Poll Tax	235 00
Dog Tax	134 25
	$5,067 30

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 8th, 1885—	
Receipt of County Collector	$3,427 80
School Orders	1,355 44
Road Orders	1,137 43
Amount Deducted by Commissioner of Appeals	16 29
Committee on Tax Warrants	46 12
Collector's Fees	78 58
	$6,061 67

AARON B. LEIGH,
Danville, Warren County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF KNOWLTON.

Amount of Floating Debt—$207. Composed of—Two Notes of Hand. Rate of Interest on Floating Debt—Six per cent. Purpose for which contracted—To meet Current Expenses.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$779,032.

Amount of Tax Raised—$6,384,16.	
Repair of Highway	$1,500 00
Poor Money	100 00
School Money	196 50
Incidental Expenses	303 00

A. N. VAN HORN, *Chairman*,
Columbia.

TOWNSHIP OF LOPATCONG.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable		$749,240 00
Amount of Personal Property Taxable		243,258 00
		$992,498 00
Debts		117,715 00
Taxable		$874,783 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$6.30 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—		
State School Tax	$2,204 45	
County Tax	2,361 91	
Township Tax	1,272 75	
		$5,839 12
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending February 10th, 1885—		
Paid State School Tax	$2,204 45	
" County Tax	2,361 91	
" Roads	770 01	
" Poor	53 38	
" Miscellaneous	388 07	
		5,777 82
Balance Unexpended		$61 30
February 19th, 1884, Balance in Treasurer's hands		$665 88
Received back Taxes during the Year from Collector		45 72
		$711 60
In hands of Treasurer from 1884		$711 60
Amount Unexpended from 1885		61 30
In hands of Treasurer February 10th, 1885		$772 90

GEORGE BRAKLEY,
Phillipsburg.

TOWNSHIP OF MANSFIELD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$864,125.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$322,025.
Rate of Tax Levied—$7.40 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
For Roads	$2,000 00
For Township	300 00
For Poor	50 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
For Township Purposes	$800 00

J. S. SHAFER, *Chairman Township Committee.*

TOWNSHIP OF OXFORD.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$1,480,550.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$489,073.
Rate of Tax Levied—$8.00 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$5,711 90
School	5,121 01
Roads	3,500 00
Poor	500 00
Township Purposes	1,200 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending 1885—	
Roads	$3,500 00
Poor	500 00
Fees and Incidentals	1,197 91

JOHN A. JONES, *Chairman*,
Buttzville.

TOWNSHIP OF PAHAQUARRY.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$137,241.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$24,333.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.91 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County Tax	$494 00
State School Tax	382 17
Road Tax	400 00
Township Tax	250 00
Poll Tax	78 00
Dog Tax	10 00
Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending March 18th, 1885—	
Collector and Assessor's Fees and other Township Officers' Fees, paying for Right of Way when the road was filled with ice	$237 57
Balance in Treasury	12 43
	$250 00

JOHN ZIMMERMAN, *Chairman of Committee*,
Millbrook P. O., Warren County, N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF POHATCONG.

Amount of Sinking Fund—$1,467.45. Composed of Cash in hands of Township Treasurer. Nature, Purpose and Condition of Sinking Fund—Has been voted at town meeting to be expended by Township Committee for Township Purposes.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$789,254.
Less Debtors' Exemption—$87,535.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$391,437.
Less Soldiers' Exemption—$7,235.
Rate of Tax Levied—$0.68 per $100.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
State Tax for Schools	$2,820 42
County Tax	3,149 19
Township Road Tax	1,462 20
Township Poor Tax	250 00
Assessor, Collector, Township Committee, Rent, Printing, &c	500 00
	$8,184 81

RECAPITULATION.

Total Amount of Real Estate Assessed		$789,254 00
" " " Personal Property Assessed		391,437 00
Total Real and Personal Property		$1,180,691 00
Exemptions for Indebtedness	$87,535 00	
Soldiers' Exemptions	7,255 00	
		$94,774 00
Total Amount of Real and Personal Property Taxable		$1,085,921 00

Rate of Tax Levied—$0.68 per $100.

Amount of Tax Assessed on Real and Personal Property	$7,384 33
Poll Tax	366 00
Cash in Township Treasurer's hands, voted at Town Meeting to be used	1,467 45
	$9,217 78

Expended for the Fiscal Year—	
State Taxes for Schools	$2,823 42
County Tax	3,149 19
Township Road Tax	1,462 20
Township Poor Tax	250 00
Assessor, Collector, Township Committee, Rent, Printing, &c	500 00
	$8,184,81

JAMES M. CATHERS, *Chairman of Committee*
P. O., Carpenterville, Warren Co., N. J.

TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON.

Amount of Real Estate Taxable—$808,050.
Amount of Personal Property Taxable—$225,220.
Rate of Tax Levied—$7.34 per $1,000.

Amount of Tax Raised—	
County	$2,423 81
School	2,262 22
Township	1,900 00
Special School	273 60
Poll	322 00
Dog	118 80
	$7,300 43

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year Ending September 19th, 1885—	
Roads	$1,200 00
County Collector	4,686 05
Special School Tax	273 60
Sheep Bills	118 40
Poor and Township Purposes, Including Assessor's and Collector's Fees	1,022 38
	$7,300 43

J. F. TINSMAN, *Chairman of Committee.*

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